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MORE HEAT WANTED

SENATE CHAMBER NOT WARM ENOUGH FOR HOUSE MEMBERS.

TARIFF EXPERT "IN BAD"

Foreign Agent Writes Illuminating Letters to Papers, But Fails to Report to Commission.

By VAN CLEVE.

Washington, D. C., July 7.—In the second paragraph of the last letter a typographical error made a line read "and surrender further patronage to the insurgents." The line should have read "and surrender further parentage to the insurgents." The Democrats of the senate have no patronage to give up, and, of course, it would be out of the question to suppose they would barter it away, if they had any. The senate is Republican, and on the question of holding the patronage the standpatters and insurgents have managed to hold together.

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There has been quite an encouraging disposition recently on the part of the department of justice to get after the violators of the anti-trust laws. This awakening follows the work of the various investigating committees put to work by the house of representatives. Colonel Roosevelt used to breathe sulphurious maledictions against the "malefactors of great wealth," the "idle rich," etc., and draw a fine distinction between the good and the bad trusts. His protege in the White House has been disposed to recognize the same distinction with the natural results that very few bad ones could be found.

The Democratic investigators have been piling up evidence rapidly that the bad ones are too numerous to mention. They have developed much interesting evidence that the steel trust was rightly named and that it has been a hold-up from its very conception. Uncle Andrew Carnegie took down $160,000,000 of extra pin money over his cash price to begin with and the report of the bureau of corporations, which has been forced out by these developments, shows that the promoters of the deal got over $67,000,000 for their services in getting the organization on foot. It was capitalized with $700,000,000 of water over and above their tangible assets, and it has paid a liberal dividend on the whole capital in addition to improvements and debts paid.

They say it has not succeeded in shutting out competition entirely, but it has "regulated" prices. It has forced every competitor to raise his prices to meet theirs in order to remain in existence. This is what Judge Gray describes as "steadying" prices and "steadying" business conditions. But this 6 per cent on seven hundred millions of watered stock is only a small part of their accrued profits, because the same men who control the steel trust control all the iron fields, all the anthracite and eastern coal fields, the coke fields, the railroads through these sections of country and the leading banks and other financial institutions in New York and elsewhere.

It has been pretty well established in these investigations already that the panic of 1907 was brought about deliberately for the purpose of bringing about this gigantic combination. Somebody induced a New York bank to load up heavily with the bonds and securities of the Tennessee Coal and Iron company, an energetic concern that held the best iron fields in the country and that promised to grow into great importance. These securities were worth $1.25 and rapidly increasing in value, according to the evidence of John W. Gates. Then somebody who knew about the securities was sent to examine the said bank, and an order was made that the bank must get rid of them. The Coal and Iron company had borrowed money on them for improvements and purposes of expanding their business. The bank could not dump them at once, and unless it did it would be closed under the order of the examiner.

Then it was that true philanthropy, as exemplified by one J. P. Morgan, stepped in and proposed to save it. He proposed to save the bank and the Tennessee company and incidentally save himself from the naughty encroachments upon his preserves that Carnegie had in mind, while at the same time he would perfect a monopoly in these half dozen products or branches of commerce. The scheme, however, was an admitted violation of law, and President Roosevelt was sought with the plea that his permission to carry it through would avert a great financial disaster. Mr. Roosevelt had no power to set aside the federal law, but he could stay proceedings against an offender. He gave his permission and the deal went through and there has been no prosecution of the steel trust. Later on some interesting testimony is expected from the gentleman from Oyster Bay.

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The president's tariff commission is about to get in bad with itself. Mr. Taft is placing great faith in its work, and a good many congressmen agreed with him that a capable non-partisan search for information would be of great value and of much aid to congress. An embarrassing situation, however, has just arisen through the enthusiastic efforts of one of its foreign agents. A certain Colonel, Mr. Donald, of California or some where, was employed to tour Europe in a search for expert information concerning the cost of production and other things relative to manufactured articles in Europe. He has not yet made a report, at least the commission has not made one, but he has been writing some illuminating articles to the Los Angeles Times in which he makes the amazing statement that there is no way to get at the cost of anything over there, and that tariff revision is a fad and a fake. He urges all Republicans and revisionists to think better of it, and gives much good advice, etc., all of which, coming from a man traveling at government expense in search of non-partisan information, is interesting. His intimation that he cannot get any information that would not be damaging to his theories and that there is therefore none to be had that is worth while leads one to wonder how many agents of this caliber the commission has scouting the country and what sort of a bill it will recommend when it gets their reports all in.

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The debate on the reciprocity bill is in full swing now over in the senate. Senator Cummins finished a speech of several installments day before yesterday in opposition to it, and Senator Burton of Ohio followed in an able argument in its favor. Senator Owen then delivered an address on the advisability of establishing a national board of health. Senator Works of California spoke yesterday on Christian Science, Senator Newlands has given notice that he will speak on an interstate trade commission, Senator Swanson is entertaining the senate today on the subject of good roads, Senator Sutherland will speak next week on the initiative, referendum and recall, Senator Owen will speak on the commission plan of municipal government, and by the time they are through there will be a number of other speeches ready on themes equally well calculated to elucidate the subject of reciprocity now before the senate. While all this is going on 391 congressmen and six hundred employes are sweltering and praying for still more heat in the senate chamber.

WILLIAM SHELTON DIED IN ST. JOSEPH

Mrs. W. S. Trewett went to St. Joseph Monday morning to attend the funeral services of her brother-in-law, William M. Shelton, who died at an early hour Sunday morning at his home, 411 Doniphan avenue. The services were held at the family home Monday afternoon, burial in Mt. Auburn cemetery.

Mr. Shelton is survived by his wife and one son, Dr. William J. Shelton of DeKalb, Mo. He was a former well known resident of Maryville for about thirty-five years, previous to his removal to St. Joseph some twelve or fifteen years ago. He was a brother of the late Robert Shelton of this city. He and his family lived at 403 South Main street, where Mr. and Mrs. Arch Frank now reside, until their son began his studies in Ensworth Medical college of St. Joseph, when they removed to that city. Mrs. Shelton was 72 years old at the time of his death, and had been in poor health many years.

COMMERCIAL CLUB TO MEET TUESDAY EVE

The monthly meeting of the Commercial club will be held tomorrow evening in the club rooms. Every member of the club is urged to be in attendance.

NORMAL STUDENTS TO CONVENT AND MONASTERY

An excursion to the convent and monastery at Clyde and Conception has been planned by the Normal people, and the date has been set for Thursday, the 13th of July. Some two hundred of the faculty and students intend to go, and an invitation is extended to any others who may wish to join the party.

The trip will start on the 10:52 Wabash, the railroad having promised to provide two extra coaches. The convent will be visited first, and from there the party will go to the monastery, returning to Maryville on the 7:11 Wabash. Transportation between the towns and the convent and monastery will be furnished those who wish to pay for it.

MONTANYE FUNERAL MONDAY AFTERNOON

The funeral services of the late John Edward Montanye, who died Friday afternoon at his home in Kansas City, were held in Maryville Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the First M. E. church. The services were conducted by the pastor, Dr. J. S. Ford, and Dr. Charles P. Luce of the First Presbyterian church. The music was under the direction of Professor P. O. Landon. Mrs. F. P. Robinson sang one number.

Those acting as pallbearers were Abe Merrill, John Sprague, Michael Sherlock, W. W. Jones, John Murrin and Lou Rogers, all of whom were former neighbors and friends of Mr. Montanye and his family when they lived on a farm northwest of Maryville. They moved to Kansas City three years ago.

Mr. Montanye's death was due to injuries he received on the 21st of June last in Kansas City. He was driving a team in his work in the employ of a telephone company of that city, when he was struck by a Missouri Pacific train that came on him suddenly around a sharp curve without giving the warning whistle. He was so badly injured that he died from his injuries two weeks later.

He is survived by his wife, three daughters and a son: Miss Pearl Montanye, Mrs. Roy McGee, Miss Erma Montanye and Frank Montanye of Kansas City, and Walter Montanye of Frederick, S. D., all of whom were present excepting the son in Dakota and Mrs. McGee, the latter being ill. Mr. Montanye is also survived by his mother, Mrs. Solomon Clark of Pickering and his sister, Mrs. E. J. Williams of this city.

M'GREW WILL FILED IN THE PROBATE COURT

The will of Mary McGrew, who died recently at her home near Barnard, was filed in probate court Monday. It was written June 3, 1898, and was witnessed by W. F. Hartman, George A. Hartman and P. J. Hainey. By the terms of the will a son, John S. McGrew, is given $150; a grandchild, Dessie McGrew, $250; Brinton, Charles and Hettie McGrew, $200 each; Brinton N. and Charles and Rebecca B. and Hettie M. McGrew are given the home farm of 160 acres, and Hettie and Charles McGrew the household furniture. All of the remainder of the property is given to a son, Daniel W. McGrew and daughters, Mary E. Bigelow and Jessie F. Colden. The will named Brinton N. and Rebecca McGrew as guardians of the bequests of Hettie and Dessie McGrew. C. J. Colden and Brinton McGrew were named as executors of the estate.

NO CHANGE IN THE CITY WATER SUPPLY

A light shower of rain fell in Maryville Sunday morning, but it was hardly enough to settle the dust. No rain is yet in sight and the weather forecast says generally fair tonight and Tuesday; slightly warmer tonight.

The water situation remains about the same. The supply is getting pretty low and might last for this week.

Wintz Came to Maryville.

Joe Wintz returned to Maryville Sunday evening, where he will stay the coming week or so. Wintz sustained a broken nose in the game at Falls City Saturday, and will not be able to play for the next week.

JUDGES APPOINTED

COUNTY COURT NAME OFFICERS FOR SPECIAL BOND ELECTION

FOR NEW STATE CAPITOL

The Vote Will Be Taken August 1 on Bond Issue of Three and a Half Millions.

The county court, in session Monday, selected the judges of election to act in the special election to be held Tuesday August 1, when the people will vote on a three and a half million bond issue for a new state capito at Jefferson City. The fire which destroyed the old capitol last winter makes it necessary for an election to be held for a new building, so the departments of the state government will have quarters to transact business.

The legislature called the election as soon as it could be held, August 1 being the date selected, and provided for an issue of bonds with all possible restrictions to protect them from graft. The proposition goes to the people in a sort of referendum form. It provides that the state authorizes the contraction of the liability of the state in an amount not to exceed three and a half million dollars for the purpose of building a new capitol. These bonds shall draw interest at a rate not to exceed 3½ per cent and must be redeemable at the option of the state after eight years, but they must be paid in thirteen years at the outside. Of the money realized from their sale 3 million dollars must go into the construction of the new capitol building, $200,000 or as much thereof as may be necessary, shall be used to purchase additional grounds and the balance, $300,000, for necessary furnishings. Any contracts to spend more than the amounts specified for the several purposes mentioned are to be illegal. The bonds to be issued with the signatures of the governor, secretary of state and state auditor and sold by the state fund commissioners to the best advantage, but not for less than par. There will be a demand for them from state banks and from institutions that can use them as collateral for deposits of state or county funds, so there is no chance that there will be much delay in their sale.

The actual building of the capitol must be in the hands of a special commission composed of two Democrats and two Republicans. These are to be selected by the five state officers and to make sure that there would be a general approval by the officers the law provides that at least four members of the board must vote for a man before he can be selected.

This commission must let the work by contract subject to the limitations as to amounts provided for in the bill. There has been an effort to get up contention because some of the state officers said the work must be done by union labor. As the state officers themselves do not let the contract and the bill provides that the capitol commission must advertise for bids for all work that is to cost more than $1,000 and let the contract to the "lowest and best bidder" the question of union or non-union labor has no place in the discussion, and is not within the control of the state officers, whose expression was at the most a declaration of their own preference. There is, however, this limitation—that Missouri stone and granite must be used in the construction of the building and that other things being equal preference must be given to Missouri material in other parts of the building.

The following are the judges of election as selected by the court Monday for each voting precinct in the county:

Atchison—Alex Scott and T. J. Rogers.

Hopkins—William Miles and Robert Coleman.

Independence, north—Louis Nigh and Fletcher Bainum.

Independence, south—Perry Garver and J. F. Minard.

Jackson—Joseph Alexander and Joseph Duffey.

Jefferson, north—Joseph Voelker and Thomas Merrigan.

Jefferson, south—Andrew Bliley and John Allen.

Washington, east—Louis King and A. P. Laughlin.

Washington, west—Millard Ellis and George Ballard.

Grant—Pres Curnut and Samuel Smith.

White Cloud, north—James Blagg and Jacob Morrison.

White Cloud, south—Sam Landfather and J. R. Turner.

Hughes—Sam Hayworth and Peter Maurer.

Monroe—D. R. Baker and Fred Barber.

Green—Joseph Carden and John White.

Nodaway—Samuel Webb and A. F. Stitt.

Lincoln, north—A. A. Reece and W. C. Aldrich.

Lincoln, south—Luther Fast and J. F. Spangler.

Union—J. F. Hanna and Frank Wallis.

Polk, A—A. M. Campbell and C. D. McKibban.

Polk B—Richard Strawbridge and Albert Watson.

Polk, C—John Halasey and I. V. McMillan.

Polk, D—Art Wiley and W. W. Glass.

RESULTS OF SATURDAY'S MINK LEAGUE GAMES

Maryville lost the game Saturday at Falls City by a score of 17 to 3, it being the last game for the Maryville team, as its franchise has been transferred to Humboldt, Neb. "Bulger" Walsh was not in the game for Maryville, nor was Black, who was playing with Falls City. Wintz sustained a broken nose, being hit by a ball, and Sackett went to third and Steno, secured from Falls City, played short, and Claude Cook was on second and DeCamp, Wise and Griffin in the outfield.

Oswalt was in the box and was pounded hard by the Falls City team. The score:

	R.	H.	E.
Falls City....02020265*—	17	17	3
Maryville ....00110010—	3	12	10

Batteries—Woods and Frazer; Oswalt and Dietz. Umpire, Bradley.

Clarinda, Ia., July 10.—Auburn won an eleven-inning swatfest from Clarinda Saturday. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Auburn ....02003010104—	11	11	4
Clarinda ...20100103000—	7	10	7

Batteries, Walters and Harmony; Charlesworth, Hirsch and Kraniger. Umpire—Kissane.

Nebraska City, July 10.—Shenandoah made it three straight from Nebraska City Saturday. Duran pitched gilt-edged ball. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Shenandoah ....13002001 0—	7	11	1
Nebraska City..00000000 0—	0	4	3

Batteries—Duran and Castle; Williford and Pinkerton. Umpire—Kratzberg.

WELL WATER BEING USED AT THE NORMAL

As far as drinking purposes are concerned, the city water supply has been cut off at the Normal. Excellent well water is now used for drinking and is obtained from the well in the pine grove. This well has been connected with the building by a pipe line, and the water is forced into a large barrel and cooled by ice. Water cannot be obtained at the well itself, and the people who have been in the practice of watering their horses there will have to go to the well south of the grove, near the road, where provision for watering horses will be made. This now makes an excellent and plenteous water supply at the Normal, and they will not suffer in case the city water gives out.

BROUGHT BROTHER TO THE HOSPITAL

Mrs. U. I. Wilson went to St. Joseph Saturday evening, where she was called by the illness of her brother, G. R. Eaton, a traveling salesman of that city. She returned to Maryville Sunday night with her brother, who is very ill of typhoid fever and has been taken to her home on South Main street. The young man's father, Charles Eaton of Barnard, arrived in the city Monday noon. Mrs. Scribner Beech, Jr., is also a sister of the sick young man.

Miss Inez Rea, a State Normal student, spent Sunday at her home near Pickering. She was accompanied by Miss Lola May Jones, also a Normal student, who was her guest.

Latest Post Cards, 1 cent each, at Crane's.

TEAM TO HUMBOLDT

MARYVILLE FRANCHISE TRANSFERRED TO THAT TOWN.

COULDN'T STOP TRANSFER

Falls City, Auburn, Nebraska City and Clarinda Had Lined Up for Humboldt.

Mo more Mink league base ball in Maryville this season. The Maryville franchise has been given to Humboldt, Neb.

Maryville lost its franchise Friday by failure to present its nine against Falls City, and for Maryville to get back in the league it required the consent of three other teams. All the money that was thought necessary for Maryville to finish the season was raised Saturday afternoon, and at a meeting Saturday night of the fans, W. C. Pierce and John Kane were selected to go to Falls City on Sunday to see if Maryville could get her franchise back in the league and to meet President Carey of the league.

Mr. Pierce and Mr. Kane went to Falls City, but were unable to do anything, as Falls City had lined up Auburn, Nebraska City and Clarinda against letting Maryville back, and they were for transferring the franchise to Humboldt, as that town was much closer to the teams in Nebraska than Maryville.

So the Maryville franchise was given to Humboldt. Nothing could be done by the Maryville men, and even President Carey had about all arrangements made for giving the franchise to Humboldt a day before. No money was paid by the Humboldt management, it is said, for the team.

LOST VALUABLE HORSE FROM HYDROPHOBIA

E. P. Powell, living four miles southwest of Maryville, lost a valuable horse Sunday from hydrophobia.

Within the last three weeks Mr. Powell has shot four dogs with rabies that came to his place. A fifth dog, with the same disease, which he attempted to kill, got away from him, and it may be that other fatalities among stock may be the result.

Let everybody be watchful of their dags, and especially so of all strange dogs. "Swat the fly" is a great slogan just now. Let us add another to it and let it be "Swat the dog."

The horrors of hydrophobia should not be invited by our carelessness and neglect. Let our officers take the matter up at once and not wait for the usual dog days of August. They are here now. Let's attend to them, and "swat the fly" on the side.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Miller spent Sunday at the home of their daughter in Bolckow.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Patterson of near Orrsburg were visiting in the city Sunday with Mrs. Patterson's brother, C. E. White, and family.

The Weather

Generally fair tonight and Tuesday; slightly warmer tonight.

Advice about your eyes.

When reading have the light fall on the page over the left shoulder. Never try to read with insufficient light. Do not continue reading or sewing after your eyes have begun to tire. Never use eye salves or washes except upon the advice of a physician. If after you heed these warnings your eyes even still give you trouble, visit our optical department, and get a properly fitted pair of glasses.

Crane's

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THORNHILL'S BARN DESTROYED BY FIRE

The large barn on the farm of Judge John G. Thornhill, seven miles northwest of the city, was totally destroyed Sunday afternoon about 3 o'clock. The cause of the fire is not known. Twenty tons of hay, 300 bushels of corn and a new silo were in the barn and were also destroyed. No stock was lost. The loss is about $2,200, with $1,100 insurance.

Will Build New House.

Deputy County Clerk Fred J. Yeomans and his mother, Mrs. S. J. Yeomans, went to Hopkins Sunday night, Mr. Yeomans returning Monday morning. Mrs. Yeomans let the contract Monday morning for the erection of a new residence for herself in Hopkins to Contractor Owens of that place. She will take up her residence among her old friends there this fall, after a residence in Maryville of over four years, during which time her son has served as deputy to County Clerk George Demott.

President Taylor in St. Joseph.

Dr. H. K. Taylor left Monday noon on the Wabash for a business trip to St. Joseph, returning the same evening.

Mr. Welch Very Ill.

J. T. Welch of the hardware firm of Hudson & Welch, is lying very ill of kidney trouble at his home on West First street. He has been sick for two weeks. His daughter, Miss Helen Welch, who has been ill for some time from an abscess on the brain, is improving. Mr. Welch's son, Edward Welch, of Chicago, arrived in the city Saturday evening.

Has Leased the Hill Property.

Wallace Horner, druggist at the Orear-Henry drug store, has leased the W. A. Hill place on West First street for two months. His mother, Mrs. H. T. Bohan, of Rosendale and his little daughter, Opal Horner, of Osborn, Kan., will spend that time in Maryville. Mrs. Hill and children are spending the summer in Illinois with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Jeffrey of Coin Ia., came to Maryville Monday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs Fletcher Dalby, living two miles north of the city.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Mallory and two sons of Lincoln, Neb., arrived Monday to visit Mrs. Mallory's sisters, Mrs. Harry Kisser, and family.

Miss Pearl Laird, who has been visiting Miss Ola Smith, returned Sunday evening to her home in Bedford, Ia.

Hal Reynolds and Allen Hamlen of Bedford, Ia., were in the city to see the ball game between Bedford and Maryville Red Socks.

Latest stationery for correspondence at Crane's.

Stop Frowning

Frowns are a pretty sure indication of weak eyes or defective vison — also that a good pair of glasses are needed; they will improve your looks as well as your eyesight.

Wear Proper Glasses

Glasses to fit your needs must fit your features as well as your eyes. We can do both to your entire satisfaction.

YOU WILL LOOK WELL AND SEE WELL IF YOU HAVE THEM FITTED AT

Price Brothers

109 West Third Street.

News of Society and Womens' Clubs

Picnic on the 102 River.

A party spent Sunday near the 102 river, about four miles south of town. Dinner and supper were served. In the party were Mr. and Mrs. Rol Hosmer and daughter, Margaret Louise; Dr. and Mrs. Lafe C. Allender, Mr. and Mrs. John J. Walsh of St. Joseph, Misses Alice Martin, Nell Conrad, Clara and Rena Sturm, Maud Bainum, Brownie Toel, Maud McCluskey, Jessie Ladwig of St. Joseph, Messrs. Earl Barmann, Dr. E. C. Braniger, Lou Grems, Cleve Funk, Will Phares, Will Montgomery, Edward Keck and Edward Schumacher.

Arkoe Dinner Guests.

Mrs. A. P. Bolin and daby daughter and Miss Margaret Bolin of Arkoe were 12 o'clock dinner guests Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Stephenson of South Main street, as the guests of their daughter, Mrs. William C. Courtney of Houston, Texas, who is here for the summer.

House Party Guests.

Miss Beulah Thompson, who is attending the State Normal, entertained two other Normal students, Miss Lillie Taylor and Miss Amarilla Myers of Craig, at a week-end house party at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Thompson, near Guilford, Saturday and Sunday.

Picnicked on 102 River.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Raines and three little daughters, Mabel, Evelyn and Laura Margaret, spent Sunday on the banks of the 102 river.

Picnic Supper.

Misses Anna Bainum, Glen Hotchkiss, Grace Sturm and Messrs. George Kemp, Fred Bellows and Elmore Frank went to McJimsey's lake with filled baskets for a picnic supper Sunday evening.

Cunningham-Smith Engagement.

The social columns of the Kansas City Post of Sunday contains this notice: "Mrs. Mary Ellen McGinley, 1653 Jefferson avenue, announces the engagement of her niece, May Frances Cunningham, to Mr. Charles Woodson Smith. The marriage will take place August 9, 1911, in the cathedral at Kansas City."

The bridegroom-to-be is the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Q. Smith of Maryville. He and his brother, William Smith, have been salesmen for the dry goods house of Burnham-Munger-Root in Kansas City for the past eight years and are fine young business men. They visited their parents in this city last Christmas. It is the custom of the C. Q. Smith family to hold a reunion twice a year, in June and during Christmas week. This year the June meeting will be postponed until August, when the reunion will be held to celebrate the marriage of the family's eldest son. Mr. and Mrs. Smith and their daughters, Miss Stella Q. Smith, Miss Frances Smith and Miss Eleanor Smith, will go to Kansas City to attend the wedding, where they will be met by two other daughters, Mrs. Lawrence Hunt of Lamar, Col., and Mrs. C. Edward Sturm of Oklahoma City, Okla., and all will return to the parental home together for the reunion.

Visiting in the City.

Will Lippman of St. Louis, manager of the French Piano company of that city, was in Maryville Sunday and Monday visiting his mother, Mrs. Lizetta Lippman, and also on business.

Has Opened a Well.

T. W. Costello has opened and is cleaning out an old well on his property on North Main street. Some other people are opening their various wells in different parts of town, and it would be well for all to do the same.

Appointed Administratrix.

Mrs. E. J. Williams was appointed administratrix of the estate of the late E. J. Williams, who died recently, by Probate Judge Conn Saturday. No will was left by Mr. Williams.

Albert Franton of near Sweet Home was transacting business in the city Saturday.

Bruce Martindale of Clyde was a city visitor Monday.

Miss Phil Romasser of Kansas City visited in Maryville over Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Romasser.

Mrs. Susan Ebrick and son Elmer returned to their home in St. Joseph Saturday evening from a visit with her sister, Mrs. Charles Shelton, living southwest of Maryville.

Miss Ethel Stewart of Kansas City is visiting at the home of her aunt, Mrs. G. B. McKenzie.

PICNIC TO BE HELD IN KANSAS CITY AUG. 26

The former residents of Nodaway and Gentry counties who are now living in Kansas City will hold their annual picnic this year in one of the parks of that city on Saturday, August 26.

B. R. Martin of St. Joseph has been secured to deliver the principal address. Other speakers on the program will be Judge J. W. Tompson, formerly of Maryville; Judge E. E. Aleshire, formerly of Stanberry, and Assistant Prosecuting Attorney Henry L. Jost, formerly of Nodaway county, but now of Kansas City. The program will contain beside speaking, musical numbers, and a fine chicken dinner will be given.

All former Nodaway county residents who are now living in Kansas City are requested to send in correct name and city address to Daniel E. Burd, at 506-7 New York Life building, Kansas City.

Miss Belle Collins, a State Normal student, spent Sunday with home folks near Barnard.

Mrs. J. P. McCarty and daughter, Helen Marie, returned to their home in St. Joseph Monday morning from a visit with her mother, Mrs. Michael Welch of Stanberry.

Bedford Won.

Sunday's ball game at Riffe's park between the Maryville Red Socks and Bedford, Ia., resulted in a victory for the latter, 18 to 5.

Was in Town Monday.

A. McPhail, formerly in the tailoring business in this city, but now of Maitland, was in Maryville Monday, calling on his many friends here. Mr. McPhail moved to Maitland from Maryville ten years ago.

Is 98 Today.

The government thermometer was 98 this afternoon about 3 o'clock.

Mr. Childress is Better.

H. P. Childress, who has been quite ill for two weeks, owing to a blood-poisoned hand, was somewhat improved Monday, and his physicians think he will get along all right now, unless something unforeseen sets in. Mr. Childress is 72 years old and this is the first real sickness he has had in all his life.

J. N. Smith, Matt Hall, Jake Eckles, Dan Mowry and J. A. Kavanaugh of Graham came to Maryville Monday in Mr. Kavanaugh's automobile.

PERFUMED FRUIT.

Five Fingered Oranges Smell Sweet, but Are Not Good to Eat.

A most weird looking fruit is the five fingered orange. It grows in exactly the shape of a half open hand. Even the nails are identical, hard pointed and claw-like, tipping the orange flowers with a length equal, in some cases, to three inches.

It is no freak, but a proper kind of orange, belonging to a special variety. The tree itself is a rugged little shrub that does not average more than five or six feet in height in its native home, Japan. It does not grow straight, as the ordinary orange tree should, but is curved in all directions.

Even the branches grow in spiral or twisted forms, so that the width of the tree is often greater than the height. The fruit itself is of a pale yellow color, of a pure lemon hue, growing greenish toward the stem. The size is immense, considering the smallness of the tree, the largest ones measuring when mature fully ten inches from the wrist to the point of the middle finger, including the nail.

But the fruit is not good to eat, though what it lacks in flavor it more than makes good in perfume. Perhaps the strangest thing about this perfume is that it is the fruit and not the flower that is odorous.—Pearson's Weekly.

THE SHORTEST SPEECH.

It Was Delivered by Caesar and Consisted of a Single Word.

Julius Caesar holds the record for brevity of convincing speech.

The story is told that while Caesar was in the midst of his struggle for the mastery of the Roman empire the soldiers of his favorite Tenth legion mutinied. He appeared before them, and, uttering the one word "Quirites," paused.

That word means, of course, "citizens," but to the veterans to whom it was addressed it meant a great deal more. It was the special term used in addressing Roman voters assembled in a purely civic capacity, not as soldiers, but as civilians.

To the mutinous soldiers it meant that the great commander, whom they had followed for ten long years from the Alps to the Thames and from the Rhine to the Pyrenees and across the Rubicon, disowned them as soldiers and dismissed them from his victorious service.

Realizing its meaning, the story goes, the mutineers were appalled. Battle scarred veterans burst into tears, implored their leader to pardon them and inflicted summary punishment upon the inciters of the mutiny as a proof of their repentance.

LEPROSY IN INDIA.

The "Untouchables" Reach the Lowest Depths of Human Woe.

The "untouchables" of India reside in little huts made of palm leaves or mud, without windows, and with a single doorway, usually so small that even a child must stoop in order to enter it, containing absolutely no furniture, except a few rudely baked earthen pots and pans.

Generally there is no bedstead of any kind, the whole family sleeping huddled up on the bare dirt floor, which is commonly plastered with cow dung. A few rags cover their persons, and these are worn night and day. Their financial condition precludes eating more than one meal a day, and this oftener than not is far from hunger appeasing and is seldom calculated to appeal to the palate. For this wretched existence they must work hard and long hours.

On account of the filthy condition in which they live disease is rampant among them. According to the last census, eighty-eight out of every 100,000 people of the depressed classes are afflicted with leprosy. In the matter of education they are as deficient as they are in every other virtue. According to the report of the director general of public instruction of Bombay, barely five out of 1,000 of the pariah children of the presidency of school going age attend school.

In one word, these fifty-three odd millions of Hindus are not only socially but also intellectually, physically, financially and morally submerged.—Saint Nihal Singh in Southern Workman.

FREEZES THE LUNGS.

When Intensely Cold Air Is Breathed In Through the Mouth.

"I asked an Alaskan pioneer who was crossing to his old home in Sweden what happened when the thermometer goes down to 60 and 80 degrees below zero," said a Seattle man. "At 60 degrees below," he said, "the exposed ears, hands or nose will freeze in going a quarter of a mile under ordinary circumstances, but the children go to and come from school as usual without suffering from the cold, provided their faces and hands are protected.

"They soon get used to it. But caution must be used to avoid drawing the cold air into the lungs, and it is dangerous to breathe through the mouth. More die from pneumonia brought on by freezing the lungs in that way than from any other form of exposure. Horses are protected by breathing bags, which extend down from the nose of the animal about eighteen inches and are open at the bottom. The breath which is exhaled warms the air in the bag before it is inhaled and drawn into the lungs. And men wear a 'parky' or headdress which extends over the face and affords similar protection.

"In the Canadian districts the northwest mounted police regulate the treatment of horses on the freight wagons and stage lines in a most humane manner, so as to prevent them from suffering in this way."—Washington Herald.

Slavery In Scottish Mines.

Slavery lingered in the Scottish mine until the very eve of the nineteenth century. Mr. Hackwood, in "The Good Old Times," draws a picture of the Scottish miner's unhappy lot in the past: "From about the year 1445 until 1775 the miners of Scotland were bought and sold with the soil. It is stated in old chronicles that bloodhounds were kept to trace them if they left their employment and to aid in bringing them back. By statute law miners were bound to work all days in the year except Paschal and Yule, and if they did not work they were to be 'whipped in the bodies for the glory of God and for the good of their masters.' Not until 1775 was the first law passed in an attempt to better this state of things, but it was 1799 ere the law gave the working miner of Scotland his complete freedom."—London Chronicle.

The Word "Terse."

"Terse" is a word that has an understood meaning nowadays. Shadwell in the fourth act of "The Humorists" (1671) put this question into the mouth of one of his characters: "Must I stay till by the strength of terse claret you have wet yourself into courage?" It is probably an allusion to what is still sometimes called "Dutch courage"—bravery inspired by alcohol. Claret was in those times imported in "tierces," and "terse" may be a condensed form of that word; also "terse claret" may have been a drink that did its business without any circumlocution, like the terse speaker or writer.

Circular Plates.

All our plates are circular in shape. Now, a square or oval plate would be just as convenient. Is there any reason why plates should be of their present shape? It seems that if we dip into the far past we may discover the cause. Our remote ancestors ate their food off flat pieces of wood cut from a tree trunk. The tree trunk being cylindrical in shape, the earliest plates were therefore roughly circular, and the shape has been used ever since.

Taking Her Down.

Miss Elderbud (triumphantly)—Just think of it! At the ball last night I listened to five declarations of love. Her Friend—How mean of you, Alice! Who was the pretty girl you were sitting near?—Boston Transcript.

He is no whole man until he knows how to earn a blameless livelihood.—Emerson.

NAPOLEON CARICATURES.

The First Was Drawn by a Fellow Student at Brienne.

Napoleon in caricature is one of the most prolific of subjects. Indeed, European political caricature from 1798 until 1815 may be said to have been Napoleon. Although in France this form of pictorial art was rigidly suppressed, Gilray and Rowlandson in England and a score of artists in Germany and Austria were depicting the great emperor as the most infamous of monsters.

The first known caricature of Bonaparte was drawn years before the first consulate, when the Bourbons still sat upon the throne of France. It is reproduced in Norwood Young's "The Growth of Napoleon." Young Bonaparte's years at the military academy at Brienne were not happy ones. He was a Corsican, and at that time Corsica was a recently conquered province.

The cartoon, which was drawn by a schoolmate, represents the future emperor standing, a severe and determined look upon his face, with both hands on the top of a musket, resting the butt on the ground. A smaller figure behind him, an old man whose nose nearly reaches his chin, is pulling him back by his wig.

Napoleon's feet face in two directions—one forward, the other backward. Underneath is written, "Bonaparte rushes to the aid of Paoli to rescue him from the hand of his enemies." These words have been struck through with a pen, which has also been drawn across the face of Napoleon.

THE PERSIANS.

Not Ruled by Caste, but Are Great Sticklers For Etiquette.

The pleasures of the Persians are in the main refined. They have not many kinds of recreation. Conversation is one of their chief enjoyments. Although a large proportion of them can neither read nor write, I think we must call them an intellectual people.

They are natural linguists, and since their country is inhabited by many different races they are obliged to speak several different languages. It is not uncommon to find a man who scarcely knows his right hand from his left who can speak two or three languages fluently. To this number a man of any education whatever would add two or three more.

There is no caste among any of the races found in Persia. A son of Nasir-i-Din Shah's butler became his prime minister; a peasant girl once became the first favorite of this same king's anderun because she lifted her veil as the king was passing through her native village and her beauty appealed to the royal fancy.

But while there is no caste the Persians are in some ways great sticklers for etiquette. The Zil-i-Sultan, the oldest and most capable son of Nasir-i-Din, could not succeed his father on the throne because his mother was not of royal birth. All social functions, moreover, are attended with the most rigid ceremonies, and woe to the person who attempts to overstep the bounds which custom has prescribed for his rank.—Mary A. Colquhoun in Los Angeles Times.

The Message In the Box.

On a table in the waiting room of a specialist is an inlaid box. When one opens it—and most visitors to the specialist do—a smaller box is found and one not so large inside that. This continues until finally the last is reached, a tiny thing with a slip of paper inside it. On the paper is a single word, "Curiosity."

"I keep it there to amuse waiting patients," explained the specialist. "If there was only one who went through the scale of boxes he might feel sore about it, but he or she leaves the box closed for the next comer, and when there are quite a few in the waiting room it gets to be a pretty good joke, and I can hear laughter as the latest arrival gets stung. I picked the box up on a trip to India and happened to leave it in the waiting room one day. Now it stays there all the time."—New York Sun.

Peg Tankards.

The pegging or marking of drinking cups was introduced by St. Dunstan to check the intemperate habits of the times by preventing one man from taking a larger draft than his companions. But the device proved the means of increasing the evil it was intended to remedy, for, refining upon St. Dunstan's plan, the most abstemious were required to drink precisely to a peg or pin, whether they could soberly take such a quantity of liquor or not.

Different Positions.

"What does the man do over there at the desk who seems to be working so hard?"

"He checks the cash."

"And what does the man do who is leaning back in the easy chair smoking?"

"Oh, he cashes the checks."—Baltimore American.

An Exception.

"Happiness," declaimed the philosopher, "is the pursuit of something, not the catching of it."

"Have you ever," interrupted the plain citizen, "chased the last car on a rainy night?"—Toledo Blade.

Sensitiveness.

The smallest bird cannot light upon the greatest tree without sending a shock to its most distant fiber. Every mind is at times no less sensitive to the most trifling words.—Lew Wallace in "Ben-Hur."

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LIBBY'S POTTED HAM or TONGUE, 5c size, 6 cans for.....25c
Bulk Steel Cut OATMEAL, 7 lbs for 25c
FLAKE HOMINY, 7 lbs for.....25c
WELCH'S GRAPE JUICE, quarts, 40c; pints, 20c; half pints, 2 for.....25c
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Hogs—5,000. Market 5c lower; top, $6.50.

Sheep—150. Market steady.

Mrs. Roberts Died at Hospital.

Mrs. Maggie Roberts of Lenox, Ia., died Sunday at St. Francis hospital, where she had undergone a surgical operation. The body was taken to Lenox Monday noon for burial, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Humphrey of Lenox, who came to Maryville Monday morning. Mrs. Roberts is survived by her mother and a daughter, Miss Winifred Roberts.

'ccompanied Family Home.

John J. Walsh of St. Joseph spent Sunday in Maryville, a guest at the home of his father-in-law, Nic Sturm. He returned home Monday morning, accompanied by Mrs. Walsh and their baby son, who had been here on a month's visit.

Her Brother-in-Law Ill.

Miss Lena Carder went to Burlingame, Kan., Saturday evening, where she was called by the dangerous illness of her brother-in-law, G. W. Cones.

Left for Wisconsin.

Nic Schumacher left Monday morning for Green Bay, Wis., where, in company with his son, John P. Schumacher of St. Joseph, he will spend the remainder of the summer at the summer cottage of his brother, John Schumacher of Chicago, near Green Bay.

Miss Ethel McCammon of Bolckow returned to her home Monday from a visit with Miss Ula Strader.

Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Airy and little daughter of Okmulgee, Okla., are in Maryville for a vacation visit with Mr. Airy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Airy.

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SENATE BUSY ON RECIPROCITY

Discussion of Amendments May Take Up Several Days.

ON LOOKOUT FOR FILIBUSTER

Majority Will Take Care to Prevent Any Unnecessarily Long Delay. House Will Be Active Only in Its Committees.

Washington, July 10.—A lively clearing of the way for the passage of the unamended Canadian reciprocity bill by the voting down of the Cummins and Simmons amendments, and continued discussion and action on other provisions in connection with the bill will keep the senate busy all week, while the house, which will meet Wednesday and quickly adjourn until Saturday, will be active only in its committees.

The amendments proposed by Cummins, which would add steel, iron, coal, lumber, wool, cotton and other products to the free list, and the amendments proposed by Simmons are somewhat similar in nature. These are expected to be bowled over.

Dilatory tactics will be met with such acts of coercion as the majority might decide would expedite business.

CHARGES AGAINST PRESIDENT

Story That He Was Induced to Restore Land Investigated.

Washington, July 10.—Published charges that the president had been induced by three persons, his brother, former Secretary of the Interior Ballinger and Richard S. Ryan of New York, a representative of the Guggenheim interests, to restore to the public domain lands surrounding Controller bay, in southern Alaska, met with quick action in congress.

The house committee on expenditures, headed by Representative Graham of Illinois, summoned Commissioner Dennett of the general land office, to appear before the committee today to explain what he knows about the matter, and Representative Cox of Indiana, one of the Democratic leaders of the house, introduced a resolution calling on President Taft for all the information he can furnish the house on the subject.

This information is to include the reason why he signed the order of restoration after the land had been set aside as a reserve and whether he knew Ryan was working in the interest of the Guggenheims.

TEACHERS AT FRISCO

Will Determine Policies of National Organization for Coming Year.

San Francisco, July 11.—The National Educational association began here today its annual meeting, where will be determined policies to be felt in the coming year in every public school in the nation. For three days special trains have been emptying into the city delegations from nearly every state in the union. From the opening addresses of welcome delivered this afternoon in the Greek theater at Berkeley, to the closing sessions next week, the convention program is crowded with important addresses.

CHILD KILLED IN AUTO CRASH

Machine Carrying Masonic Orphans Run Into by Racing Car.

Louisville, July 10.—One child was killed, two fatally injured and nine less seriously injured when an automobile loaded with members of the Masonic widows' and orphans' home was struck by another automobile, racing in a boulevard in the suburb.

An automobile owned by Marion B. Taylor, a distiller, was racing with another car and just before it reached the machine containing the children the front tire became loosened, causing the machine to swerve.

VINSON HELD AS DEFAULTER

Leading Indianapolis Business and Club Man Arrested.

Indianapolis, July 10.—Frank J. Vinson, former director of the Columbia club, which entertained President Taft last week, and auditor of the Brown-Ketcham Iron works of this city, surrendered to the police after a warrant charging him specifically with the embezzlement of $4,600 from the iron works company had been issued. It is said the total shortage will reach $56,000.

First Electrocution in Kentucky.

Eddyville, Ky., July 10.—When the first execution under the new law providing for electrocution in place of hanging took place in the state prison, it came near ending in the death of two persons. Dr R. H. Moss stepped forward to feel the pulse of the negro, who formed the first subject, before the current had been turned off. A warning cry from the electrician saved him.

Arguments in See Case.

Chicago, July 10.—Both the state and the defense in the trial of Evelyn Arthur See, charged with the abduction of Mildred Bridges, rested their case and arguments began this morning. The prosecutor will speak all day and the defense will take tomorrow. It is not expected the case will reach the jury before Wednesday.

EIGHT KILLED IN POLITICAL RIOT

Partisans of Juarez Lead Attack on Mercantile Houses.

MORE THAN FIFTEEN WOUNDED

Partisans of Rival Candidates For Governor of Mexican State Engage in Battle on Streets—Merchants Defending Stores Fire Into Mob.

Oaxaca, Mex., July 10.—Eight men were killed and more than fifteen wounded in a political riot in Ocotlan. Partisans of Benito Juarez, one of the two candidates for governor, inaugurated the riot by leading an attack on mercantile establishments of Diaz brothers, relatives of General Felix Diaz, opposing candidate for governor.

Armed resistance on the part of occupants of the store increased the fury of the mob, which ran amuck through the principal streets, breaking windows of private residences and business houses. Merchants posted themselves in many cases on top of their buildings and shot into the attacking mob. Two companies of soldiers were sent from here to garrison the town.

GIVES MILLION FOR HOSPITAL

R. A. Long Announces His Gift for Structure in Kansas City.

Portland, Ore., July 10.—At the annual international missionary convention of the Christian church, R. A. Long, the Kansas City millionaire lumberman, announced that he would during the next ten years give $1,000,000 for the establishment of a nonsectarian national hospital to be located on a thirty-eight-acre tract in Kansas City, now owned by the Christian church. But two conditions govern the donation. The church must raise another million dollars, and one-third of the beds in the institution must be free. The church already has raised $400,000 of the amount required and the officers expect to have no difficulty in raising the $600,000 balance during the coming ten years.

CAN SUE IN HIGHER COURT

Mrs. Rawn's Insurance Troubles to Be Decided Early in September.

Jefferson City, Mo., July 10.—The right of Mrs. Florence Rawn to sue in the Missouri courts for insurance carried by her husband, the late Ira G. Rawn of Chicago, will be determined by the supreme court early in September.

The supreme court declared a temporary writ of prohibition returnable Sept. 4 against Judge Grimm of St. Louis to restrain him from proceeding to the trial of her suit against one insurance company for $14,000 on a policy.

Mrs. Rawn filed ten other suits against other companies in the circuit court at St. Louis and the settlement of jurisdiction in that case will settle the matter in the others.

DUEZ ON TRIAL IN PARIS

Receiver of Church Properties Proved Monumental Thief.

Paris, July 10.—Edward Duez, who was very active in the anarchistic and governmental crusade which resulted in the closing of many churches and convents and the driving of Sisters of Charity out of the country, was recently placed on trial here. He has been proved to be a monumental robber.

Duez, who was the government liquidator of the property of the religious orders, is accused of having embezzled $2,000,000 of the money secured from the sale of clerical property, which should have been handed to the treasury. He has confessed.

ROBERT P. NEIL IS ARRESTED

Head of Railroad Employees Charged With Diverting Money to Own Use.

Boston, July 10.—Robert P. Neil, president of the Brotherhood of Railroad Employees, was arrested on a charge of using the United States mails to defraud. It is alleged that Neil on Dec. 1, 1910, issued circulars soliciting advertisements for a magazine, the proceeds of which were to be used for death and sick benefits for railroad men, and that the funds received were diverted to Neil's own uses. Members of Neil's family furnished bail in $1,000 and he was released.

Girl Choked by a Stamp.

Geneva, July 10.—An extraordinary fatality has occurred at the village of Koblenz. In the presence of her parents a girl of seventeen was killed by a postage stamp. She placed the stamp on her tongue to moisten it, and in doing so coughed and swallowed it. The stamp stuck in her throat and choked her before medical aid arrived.

Penitentiary Chaplain Quits.

Jefferson City, Mo., July 10.—Because of criticism growing out of his connection with the courtship and marriage of Miss Ethel Fasken to Harry Van Warringa, a former convict at the Missouri penitentiary, the Rev. J. J. Martin, chaplain of the state penitentiary, has tendered his resignation, to take effect Aug. 1.

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Left for Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Signs left Saturday evening for Coyle, Okla., which will be their future home. They sold their residence on South Buchanan street to Mrs. Clara Davenport.

Met Sister from Montana.

Miss Marguerite Conway went to St. Joseph Saturday evening to meet her sister, Mrs. Edward McCormick of Billings, Mont., and accompanied her to Clyde on a visit to their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Conway.

Mrs. W. B. Hoskins of St. Joseph, who had been visiting her mother, Mrs. W. G. Murray of East First street, since Wednesday, returned to her home Monday morning, accompanied by Mrs. Murray, who will visit her a few days.

Mrs. T. E. Wachtel and daughter, Vera, returned to their home at Rosendale Monday, after a visit with Mr. Wachtel's sisters, Mrs. John W. Airy and Mrs. John Bailey.

Miss Mabel Kaufman and two of her friends, Miss Mildred Cummings and Miss Lulu Fisher, went to Arkoe Saturday evening for a week-end visit at the country home of Miss Kaufman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Kaufman.

Miss Pearl Bright of Arkoe came to Maryville Monday to visit the family of her brother, Bud Wright. She was accompanied by her guest, Miss Mary Spittler, of Riverton, Ia., who will return to her home Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Smith of near Barnard were in Maryville Saturday, and visited Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Curnutt, of East Third street.

Mrs. Andy Cook and son and daughter, Cory and Miss Gladys, went to St. Joseph Saturday evening to join Mr. Cook, and will make their home in that city.

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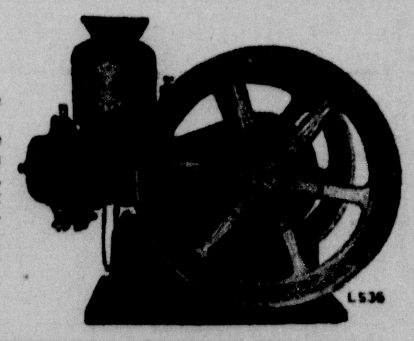

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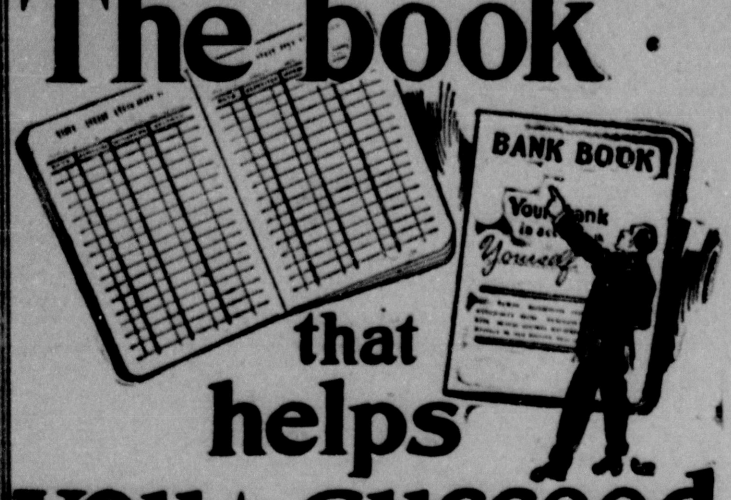

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His Father is Worse.

Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Davidson went to Hopkins Monday on account of the illness of Mr. Davidson's father, Clay Davidson, who lives eight miles east of that place. Mr. Davidson has been in poor health for a year, but has only been confined to his bed the past few weeks.

Mrs. J. J. Mahoney spent Sunday in Skidmore with her daughter, Mrs. M. J. Dougan, and family.

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Castro lands in Venezuela and takes the lead at head of 10,000.

Revolutionary agitations in Cuba make it possible the United States will be compelled to intervene.

Discontent in Nicaragua assumes an acute phase and may end in a general uprising in that republic.

Hayti buys another warship in anticipation of trouble.

Washington, July 10.—Uncle Sam is likely to have his hands full maintaining the peace of Cuba, Central and South America.

The news of the success of Cypriana Castro in eluding the vigilance of the United States and landing in Venezuela and quietly rallying 10,000 fighting mountaineers to his standard came as a shock to the government.

When added to this is the fact that revolutionary feeling is running high in Cuba and Nicaragua, together with the unrest in Honduras, Mexico and Haiti, it may be seen that Secretary Knox has the prospect of a lively summer ahead, with work possibly for Secretary Meyer of the navy and Secretary Stimson of the army.

The feeling is growing that the time is not far distant when an actual protectorate, backed by adequate military force, will be necessary in all those Latin-American republics contiguous to the Panama canal.

Venezuelan Situation.

The Venezuelan situation is immediately pressing. For weeks Castro, "The Stormy Petrel of South American politics," as he is known in diplomatic circles, has been playing a game of hide and seek with the gunboats of his own and other nations. Of his movements lately, it is known that he left Lisbon early in June aboard a battleship purchased from the Italian government for the Haitien navy. It was reported that he had a large supply of munitions of war. Now comes the news that he is at the head of a formidable force in Venezuela. That it means active hostilities is not doubted.

Evidences of revolutionary influences in Cuba has reached the war, state and navy departments, and a watch is being maintained on the leaders.

If a revolution occurs, the United States will intervene and stay in Cuba. The storm centers around Gomez, the president of the republic. He is assailed with charges of graft.

There are several aspirants for Gomez' place, but all of them are outside the pale of consideration by this government. Gomez' successor will be selected in Washington.

Situation in Cuba.

Guerra last winter threatened to take the Cuban regular army into the field and start a revolution. He was brought to a halt by the United States, and in a letter to General Wood, promised to behave. He has since thoroughly organized his rustic soldiers and it is believed here many arms have been smuggled into the country by his agents.

Colonel Piedra, at one time chief of police of Havana, is "on the outs" with the Cuban president, and has threatened, according to reports here, to join with Guerra and former Minister to Mexico Loynaz Castrillo and combat Gomez for renomination.

A fight between the president on one side and these three leaders on the other means a conflict between the rurales, over which the president rules with an iron hand, and the regular army and former members of the latter organization.

Another revolution is threatened in Nicaragua. And it will come, is the belief of the state department officials, unless the $75,000,000 loan now being negotiated in this country is consummated and the agreement between Nicaragua and the United States, guaranteeing the payment of the loan, is referred at this session of congress.

This came to light with the announcement that the gunboat Vicksburg would proceed from San Diego to Corinto, Nicaragua, to relieve the gunboat Yorktown, now at that station.

Rules Against Express Companies.

Washington, July 10.—Denying the right of the Wells-Fargo Express company to charge parcel rates on bulk packages, the interstate commerce commission reaffirmed a principle previously laid down and ordered that after Sept. 1 carriers shall not make the ownership of property offered for transportation a condition to the application of particular rates. The decision affects every express company operating in the United States.

Missouri Gets Rain.

Kansas City, July 10.—Breaking up a six weeks' drought, a rain from a quarter to three-quarters of an inch soaked nearly the entire state.

PRESIDENT GOMEZ

Criticism of Cuba's Executive Leads to Talk of Revolution.

FOOD PRICES ARE HIGHER, SAYS REPORT

Labor Bureau Inquiry Show Costs Increase Four Per Cent.

Washington, July 10.—The high cost of living is no myth. An investigation by the bureau of labor of the prices of 257 commodities during 1010 shows that wholesale prices then were 4 per cent higher than in 1909 and 1.6 per cent above the average of 1907, which was the year of highest prices since 1890. In view of the Canadian reciprocity discussion an interesting item in the bureau report shows that the wholesale prices of farm products was 7.5 per cent higher in 1910 than in 1909.

Wholesale prices in 1910 were 19.1 per cent higher than in 1900.

Some extraordinary variations were recorded during 1910. Potatoes increased 300 per cent; eggs, 90 per cent; coffee, 60 per cent; mess beef, 35 per cent.

Body Is Indentified.

Saxman, Kan., July 10.—A body found buried in a sandhill near here on June 18 was identified as that of Julius H. Hix of St. Joseph, Ill. Pearl Sturm, a young farmer, is held for investigation in connection with the alleged murder.

STANDING OF THE TEAMS

National League.	W.	L.	P.	American League.	W.	L.	P.
New York.	45	29	608	Phila	49	25	662
Chicago	43	28	606	Chicago	37	33	529
Phila	44	30	595	Detroit	50	24	676
St. Louis.	42	31	575	New York.	38	35	521
Pittsburg	41	31	569	Boston	38	35	521
Cin'nati	31	40	437	Cleveland.	36	42	462
Brooklyn	27	45	375	Wash'n	27	48	360
Boston	17	56	233	St. Louis.	20	53	274

Western League.	W.	L.	P.	Nebraska League.	W.	L.	P.
Denver	48	27	640	Fremont	31	23	574
Pueblo	43	29	597	Superior	30	23	566
Lincoln	42	30	583	Grand Id.	31	25	554
St. Joe.	43	34	559	Seward	28	26	514
Soo City.	40	34	541	Hastings	27	27	500
Omaha	36	39	480	Kearney	26	26	500
Topeka	28	46	379	Columbus.	25	31	446
Des M's.	18	59	234	York	18	33	353

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

American League.

At Chicago: R. H. E.
Chicago .....1 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0—2 5 1
New York.....0 3 1 0 0 0 0 1 0—5 11 3
Young Sullivan; Ford-Sweeney.

At St. Louis: R. H. E.
Boston .....0 3 0 1 3 0 0 2 0—9 12 3
St. Louis.....1 0 1 0 0 0 1 0 0—3 8 1
Cicotte-Williams; Nelson-Stephens.

At Detroit: R. H. E.
Detroit .....0 1 3 0 0 0 0 2 0—6 12 3
Washington ...0 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 5—7 10 1
Mitchell-Stanage; Johnson-Henry.

At Cleveland: R. H. E.
Cleveland .....0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 *—1 4 0
Philadelphia ....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 4 0
Krapp-Fisher; Morgan-Thomas.

Western League.

At Omaha: R. H. E.
Omaha .....0 0 0 0 0 3 0 2 *—5 6 9
Sioux City.....0 0 1 0 0 0 2 0 1—4 6 2
Robinson-Agnew; Wilson-Towne.

At Denver—First game: R. H. E.
Pueblo .....0 0 0 0 0 1 1 0 2—2 10 2
Denver .....2 0 3 0 0 1 0 1 *—7 15 4
Durham and Clemmons; Kenworthy and Weaver.

Second game: R. H. E.
Pueblo ....0 1 2 0 0 0 0 1 0— 4 11 5
Denver ...1 3 3 0 0 1 0 4 *—13 17 0
Perry-Clemmons; Kinsella-Frambes.

At St. Joseph: R. H. E.
Des Moines.....3 2 0 0 2 0 0 0 0—7 13 0
St. Joseph.....2 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0—3 7 1
Benz-Ultowski; Johnson-Gossett.

Nebraska State League.

At Seward: R. H. E.
Hastings .....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 2 1
Seward .....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—1 4 2
Hill-Coe; Hanson-Wally.

At Grand Island: R. H. E.
Kearney .....0 4 0 0 0 0 2 0 0—6 8 3
Grand Island...0 0 2 2 1 0 3 0 *—8 10 2
Carey-Magerkurth; Hartman-Jokerst.

At Columbus: R. H. E.
Fremont .....0 1 0 0 0 0 1 0 1—3 5 3
Columbus .....0 0 0 5 0 1 0 0 *—6 6 0
Watson-Neff; Kissell-Agnew.

WANTS

Advertisements are inserted in this column at the rate of three lines (18 words) three days for 25 cents. For ads larger than three lines one cent extra will be charged for each word in excess of 18. Cash must accompany order for these small amounts.

PASTURE TO RENT—200 acres two miles west of Maryville. Clover, timothy and blue grass mixed. Has had no stock on it this spring. Fenced in four fields. Running water and three wells and windmills at one. Will rent the whole tract or separate fields. 40, 75, 70 and 15 acres in fields. Call or telephone quick for first choice. Also 160 acres clover and timothy, seven miles north of Maryville, to rent for hay or pasture. See us quick. Will not hold long. The Sisson Loan and Title Co. 10-tf

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$1,000 to loan on farm.

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Lady wishes to do general housework in small family. Will make personal application. Address Ethel Van Gorder, Maryville, Mo. 10-12

To loan—$2,000 on country real estate.

Have a call for good $400 loan on city residence property.

CHARLES E. STILWELL,
Office over Maryville Nat'l Bank, Maryville, Mo. Hanamo phones, office 299, residence 243.

"For Sale," "For Rent" and "Rooms for Rent" cards at this office, only 10 cents each.

WANTED—Lady clerk. F. P. Reuillard. 7-10

FOR RENT—After July 1st, good store building, South Main street. See J. F. Roelofson. 3-tf

WANTE—Dining room girl. Good wages. The Linville. tf.

FOR SALE—Large fireproof safe, cheap. Charles Hyslop. 10-tf

The One-Minute Washing Machine will keep a wife looking young. They are sold by Baker & Hill, the West Side Hardware firm.

Mrs. Berky Very Ill.

Mrs. LeRay Wray went to Pickering Monday noon on account of the serious illness of her sister-in-law, Mrs. William Berky, who lives near Pickering. Mrs. Berky was formerly Miss Lolla Wray. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Wray of Pickering.

Returned from Kansas Visit.

Mrs. George A. Pickens and sons, Vern and Paul, returned Monday noon from a five weeks' visit with relatives at Stockton, Kan.

Miss Lura Gibson of Coin, Ia., was in the city Monday, going to Bedford to visit her father, Samuel Gibson.

Mrs. William Pistole and Mrs. F. S. Maxon of Pickering were in Maryville on business Monday.

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THE DIAMOND BRAND.
Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chichester's Diamond Brand Pills, in Red and Gold metallic boxes, sealed with Blue Ribbon. Take no other. Buy of your Druggist for CHI-CHES-TER S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for 25 years known as Best, Safest, Always Reliable.
SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE

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A Little Sage and Sulphur Makes Gray Hair Vanish—A Remedy for All Hair Troubles

Who does not know the value of sage and sulphur for keeping the hair dark, soft, glossy and in good condition? As a matter of fact, sulphur is a natural element of hair, and a deficiency of it in the hair is held by many scalp specialists to be connected with loss of color and vitality of the hair. Unquestionably, there is no better remedy for hair and scalp troubles, especially premature grayness, than sage and sulphur, if properly prepared. The Wyeth Chemical Company of New York put up an ideal remedy of this kind, called Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy, and authorize druggists to sell it under guarantee that the money will be refunded if it fails to do exactly as represented.

This preparation is offered to the public at fifty cents a bottle, and is recommended and sold by all druggists.

Special Agent, Koch Pharmacy.

Idle Capital is an Extravagance

no community can afford; to do anyone a benefit it must be kept moving and to do the most good it should seek legitimate channels. Then let us divorce ourselves from the prevailing "get rich quick" fever and get back to the good ways of our forefathers. Put your money into something at home, where it will HELP YOUR HOME TOWN and enhance the other interests you may have. Why not build a home? There's no satisfaction like that borne of the knowledge you own a home. Start it today and tomorrow you'll awaken with a feeling of independence like that of 1776. Of course you'll need lumber, but we can quickly help you out, as our stock is complete and most orders can be filled the day we get them.

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B. R. Martin's Law Office.
I have opened a law office in the J. B. Robinson building, first stairway north of the Nodaway Valley bank, where I can be found Saturday of each week. Will come any time by appointment. B. R. MARTIN,
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First class clothes cleaning and repairing shop. Phones, Hanamo 402, 115½ South Main.
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DR. G. H. LEACH,
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CLINE & MORGAN,
Graduate and Registered
VETERINARY SURGEONS AND DENTISTS.
Office at Gray's feed barn. Phones Hanamo 93, Farmers 162.

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Electrical Wiring, Fixtures, Supplies
Bell phone 91 120½ West 3rd st.

FRANK MARTIN & SON,
PLUMBING AND HEATING.
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J. L. FISHER
Repairing Guns, Bicycles, Gas Engines and Automobiles.
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We Never Sleep.
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SENATE CHAMBER NOT WARM ENOUGH FOR HOUSE MEMBERS.

TARIFF EXPERT "IN BAD"

Foreign Agent Writes Illuminating Letters to Papers, But Fails to Report to Commission.

By VAN CLEVE.

Washington, D. C., July 7.—In the second paragraph of the last letter a typographical error made a line read "and surrender further patronage to the insurgents." The line should have read "and surrender further parentage to the insurgents." The Democrats of the senate have no patronage to give up, and, of course, it would be out of the question to suppose they would barter it away, if they had any. The senate is Republican, and on the question of holding the patronage the standpatters and insurgents have managed to hold together.

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There has been quite an encouraging disposition recently on the part of the department of justice to get after the violators of the anti-trust laws. This awakening follows the work of the various investigating committees put to work by the house of representatives. Colonel Roosevelt used to breathe sulphurious maledictions against the "malefactors of great wealth," the "idle rich," etc., and draw a fine distinction between the good and the bad trusts. His protege in the White House has been disposed to recognize the same distinction with the natural results that very few bad ones could be found.

The Democratic investigators have been piling up evidence rapidly that the bad ones are too numerous to mention. They have developed much interesting evidence that the steel trust was rightly named and that it has been a hold-up from its very conception. Uncle Andrew Carnegie took down $160,000,000 of extra pin money over his cash price to begin with and the report of the bureau of corporations, which has been forced out by these developments, shows that the promoters of the deal got over $67,000,000 for their services in getting the organization on foot. It was capitalized with $700,000,000 of water over and above their tangible assets, and it has paid a liberal dividend on the whole capital in addition to improvements and debts paid.

They say it has not succeeded in shutting out competition entirely, but it has "regulated" prices. It has forced every competitor to raise his prices to meet theirs in order to remain in existence. This is what Judge Gray describes as "steadying" prices and "steadying" business conditions. But this 6 per cent on seven hundred millions of watered stock is only a small part of their accrued profits, because the same men who control the steel trust control all the iron fields, all the anthracite and eastern coal fields, the coke fields, the railroads through these sections of country and the leading banks and other financial institutions in New York and elsewhere.

It has been pretty well established in these investigations already that the panic of 1907 was brought about deliberately for the purpose of bringing about this gigantic combination. Somebody induced a New York bank to load up heavily with the bonds and securities of the Tennessee Coal and Iron company, an energetic concern that held the best iron fields in the country and that promised to grow into great importance. These securities were worth $1.25 and rapidly increasing in value, according to the evidence of John W. Gates. Then somebody who knew about the securities was sent to examine the said bank, and an order was made that the bank must get rid of them. The Coal and Iron company had borrowed money on them for improvements and purposes of expanding their business. The bank could not dump them at once, and unless it did it would be closed under the order of the examiner.

Then it was that true philanthropy, as exemplified by one J. P. Morgan, stepped in and proposed to save it. He proposed to save the bank and the Tennessee company and incidentally save himself from the naughty encroachments upon his preserves that Carnegie had in mind, while at the same time he would perfect a monopoly in these half dozen products or branches of commerce. The scheme, however, was an admitted violation of law, and President Roosevelt was sought with the plea that his permission to carry it through would avert a great financial disaster. Mr. Roosevelt had no power to set aside the federal law, but he could stay proceedings against an offender. He gave his permission and the deal went through and there has been no prosecution of the steel trust. Later on some interesting testimony is expected from the gentleman from Oyster Bay.

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The president's tariff commission is about to get in bad with itself. Mr. Taft is placing great faith in its work, and a good many congressmen agreed with him that a capable non-partisan search for information would be of great value and of much aid to congress. An embarrassing situation, however, has just arisen through the enthusiastic efforts of one of its foreign agents. A certain Colonel, Mr. Donald, of California or some where, was employed to tour Europe in a search for expert information concerning the cost of production and other things relative to manufactured articles in Europe. He has not yet made a report, at least the commission has not made one, but he has been writing some illuminating articles to the Los Angeles Times in which he makes the amazing statement that there is no way to get at the cost of anything over there, and that tariff revision is a fad and a fake. He urges all Republicans and revisionists to think better of it, and gives much good advice, etc., all of which, coming from a man traveling at government expense in search of non-partisan information, is interesting. His intimation that he cannot get any information that would not be damaging to his theories and that there is therefore none to be had that is worth while leads one to wonder how many agents of this caliber the commission has scouting the country and what sort of a bill it will recommend when it gets their reports all in.

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The debate on the reciprocity bill is in full swing now over in the senate. Senator Cummins finished a speech of several installments day before yesterday in opposition to it, and Senator Burton of Ohio followed in an able argument in its favor. Senator Owen then delivered an address on the advisability of establishing a national board of health. Senator Works of California spoke yesterday on Christian Science, Senator Newlands has given notice that he will speak on an interstate trade commission, Senator Swanson is entertaining the senate today on the subject of good roads, Senator Sutherland will speak next week on the initiative, referendum and recall, Senator Owen will speak on the commission plan of municipal government, and by the time they are through there will be a number of other speeches ready on themes equally well calculated to elucidate the subject of reciprocity now before the senate. While all this is going on 391 congressmen and six hundred employes are sweltering and praying for still more heat in the senate chamber.

WILLIAM SHELTON DIED IN ST. JOSEPH

Mrs. W. S. Trewett went to St. Joseph Monday morning to attend the funeral services of her brother-in-law, William M. Shelton, who died at an early hour Sunday morning at his home, 411 Doniphan avenue. The services were held at the family home Monday afternoon, burial in Mt. Auburn cemetery.

Mr. Shelton is survived by his wife and one son, Dr. William J. Shelton of DeKalb, Mo. He was a former well known resident of Maryville for about thirty-five years, previous to his removal to St. Joseph some twelve or fifteen years ago. He was a brother of the late Robert Shelton of this city. He and his family lived at 403 South Main street, where Mr. and Mrs. Arch Frank now reside, until their son began his studies in Ensworth Medical college of St. Joseph, when they removed to that city. Mrs. Shelton was 72 years old at the time of his death, and had been in poor health many years.

COMMERCIAL CLUB TO MEET TUESDAY EVE

The monthly meeting of the Commercial club will be held tomorrow evening in the club rooms. Every member of the club is urged to be in attendance.

NORMAL STUDENTS TO CONVENT AND MONASTERY

An excursion to the convent and monastery at Clyde and Conception has been planned by the Normal people, and the date has been set for Thursday, the 13th of July. Some two hundred of the faculty and students intend to go, and an invitation is extended to any others who may wish to join the party.

The trip will start on the 10:52 Wabash, the railroad having promised to provide two extra coaches. The convent will be visited first, and from there the party will go to the monastery, returning to Maryville on the 7:11 Wabash. Transportation between the towns and the convent and monastery will be furnished those who wish to pay for it.

MONTANYE FUNERAL MONDAY AFTERNOON

The funeral services of the late John Edward Montanye, who died Friday afternoon at his home in Kansas City, were held in Maryville Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the First M. E. church. The services were conducted by the pastor, Dr. J. S. Ford, and Dr. Charles P. Luce of the First Presbyterian church. The music was under the direction of Professor P. O. Landon. Mrs. F. P. Robinson sang one number.

Those acting as pallbearers were Abe Merrill, John Sprague, Michael Sherlock, W. W. Jones, John Murrin and Lou Rogers, all of whom were former neighbors and friends of Mr. Montanye and his family when they lived on a farm northwest of Maryville. They moved to Kansas City three years ago.

Mr. Montanye's death was due to injuries he received on the 21st of June last in Kansas City. He was driving a team in his work in the employ of a telephone company of that city, when he was struck by a Missouri Pacific train that came on him suddenly around a sharp curve without giving the warning whistle. He was so badly injured that he died from his injuries two weeks later.

He is survived by his wife, three daughters and a son: Miss Pearl Montanye, Mrs. Roy McGee, Miss Erma Montanye and Frank Montanye of Kansas City, and Walter Montanye of Frederick, S. D., all of whom were present excepting the son in Dakota and Mrs. McGee, the latter being ill. Mr. Montanye is also survived by his mother, Mrs. Solomon Clark of Pickering and his sister, Mrs. E. J. Williams of this city.

M'GREW WILL FILED IN THE PROBATE COURT

The will of Mary McGrew, who died recently at her home near Barnard, was filed in probate court Monday. It was written June 3, 1898, and was witnessed by W. F. Hartman, George A. Hartman and P. J. Hainey. By the terms of the will a son, John S. McGrew, is given $150; a grandchild, Dessie McGrew, $250; Brinton, Charles and Hettie McGrew, $200 each; Brinton N. and Charles and Rebecca B. and Hettie M. McGrew are given the home farm of 160 acres, and Hettie and Charles McGrew the household furniture. All of the remainder of the property is given to a son, Daniel W. McGrew and daughters, Mary E. Bigelow and Jessie F. Colden. The will named Brinton N. and Rebecca McGrew as guardians of the bequests of Hettie and Dessie McGrew. C. J. Colden and Brinton McGrew were named as executors of the estate.

NO CHANGE IN THE CITY WATER SUPPLY

A light shower of rain fell in Maryville Sunday morning, but it was hardly enough to settle the dust. No rain is yet in sight and the weather forecast says generally fair tonight and Tuesday; slightly warmer tonight.

The water situation remains about the same. The supply is getting pretty low and might last for this week.

Wintz Came to Maryville.

Joe Wintz returned to Maryville Sunday evening, where he will stay the coming week or so. Wintz sustained a broken nose in the game at Falls City Saturday, and will not be able to play for the next week.

JUDGES APPOINTED

COUNTY COURT NAME OFFICERS FOR SPECIAL BOND ELECTION

FOR NEW STATE CAPITOL

The Vote Will Be Taken August 1 on Bond Issue of Three and a Half Millions.

The county court, in session Monday, selected the judges of election to act in the special election to be held Tuesday August 1, when the people will vote on a three and a half million bond issue for a new state capito at Jefferson City. The fire which destroyed the old capitol last winter makes it necessary for an election to be held for a new building, so the departments of the state government will have quarters to transact business.

The legislature called the election as soon as it could be held, August 1 being the date selected, and provided for an issue of bonds with all possible restrictions to protect them from graft. The proposition goes to the people in a sort of referendum form. It provides that the state authorizes the contraction of the liability of the state in an amount not to exceed three and a half million dollars for the purpose of building a new capitol. These bonds shall draw interest at a rate not to exceed 3½ per cent and must be redeemable at the option of the state after eight years, but they must be paid in thirteen years at the outside. Of the money realized from their sale 3 million dollars must go into the construction of the new capitol building, $200,000 or as much thereof as may be necessary, shall be used to purchase additional grounds and the balance, $300,000, for necessary furnishings. Any contracts to spend more than the amounts specified for the several purposes mentioned are to be illegal. The bonds to be issued with the signatures of the governor, secretary of state and state auditor and sold by the state fund commissioners to the best advantage, but not for less than par. There will be a demand for them from state banks and from institutions that can use them as collateral for deposits of state or county funds, so there is no chance that there will be much delay in their sale.

The actual building of the capitol must be in the hands of a special commission composed of two Democrats and two Republicans. These are to be selected by the five state officers and to make sure that there would be a general approval by the officers the law provides that at least four members of the board must vote for a man before he can be selected.

This commission must let the work by contract subject to the limitations as to amounts provided for in the bill. There has been an effort to get up contention because some of the state officers said the work must be done by union labor. As the state officers themselves do not let the contract and the bill provides that the capitol commission must advertise for bids for all work that is to cost more than $1,000 and let the contract to the "lowest and best bidder" the question of union or non-union labor has no place in the discussion, and is not within the control of the state officers, whose expression was at the most a declaration of their own preference. There is, however, this limitation—that Missouri stone and granite must be used in the construction of the building and that other things being equal preference must be given to Missouri material in other parts of the building.

The following are the judges of election as selected by the court Monday for each voting precinct in the county:

Atchison—Alex Scott and T. J. Rogers.

Hopkins—William Miles and Robert Coleman.

Independence, north—Louis Nigh and Fletcher Bainum.

Independence, south—Perry Garver and J. F. Minard.

Jackson—Joseph Alexander and Joseph Duffey.

Jefferson, north—Joseph Voelker and Thomas Merrigan.

Jefferson, south—Andrew Bliley and John Allen.

Washington, east—Louis King and A. P. Laughlin.

Washington, west—Millard Ellis and George Ballard.

Grant—Pres Curnut and Samuel Smith.

White Cloud, north—James Blagg and Jacob Morrison.

White Cloud, south—Sam Landfather and J. R. Turner.

Hughes—Sam Hayworth and Peter Maurer.

Monroe—D. R. Baker and Fred Barber.

Green—Joseph Carden and John White.

Nodaway—Samuel Webb and A. F. Stitt.

Lincoln, north—A. A. Reece and W. C. Aldrich.

Lincoln, south—Luther Fast and J. F. Spangler.

Union—J. F. Hanna and Frank Wallis.

Polk, A—A. M. Campbell and C. D. McKibban.

Polk B—Richard Strawbridge and Albert Watson.

Polk, C—John Halasey and I. V. McMillan.

Polk, D—Art Wiley and W. W. Glass.

RESULTS OF SATURDAY'S MINK LEAGUE GAMES

Maryville lost the game Saturday at Falls City by a score of 17 to 3, it being the last game for the Maryville team, as its franchise has been transferred to Humboldt, Neb. "Bulger" Walsh was not in the game for Maryville, nor was Black, who was playing with Falls City. Wintz sustained a broken nose, being hit by a ball, and Sackett went to third and Steno, secured from Falls City, played short, and Claude Cook was on second and DeCamp, Wise and Griffin in the outfield.

Oswalt was in the box and was pounded hard by the Falls City team. The score:

	R.	H.	E.
Falls City	0 2 0 2 0 2 6 5 *	17	17	3
Maryville	0 0 1 1 0 0 0 1 0	3	12	10

Batteries—Woods and Frazer; Oswalt and Dietz. Umpire, Bradley.

Clarinda, Ia., July 10.—Auburn won an eleven-inning swatfest from Clarinda Saturday. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Auburn	0 2 0 0 3 0 1 0 1 0 4	11	11	4
Clarinda	2 0 1 0 0 1 0 3 0 0 0	7	10	7

Batteries, Walters and Harmony; Charlesworth, Hirsch and Kraniger. Umpire—Kissane.

Nebraska City, July 10.—Shenandoah made it three straight from Nebraska City Saturday. Duran pitched gilt-edged ball. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Shenandoah	1 3 0 0 2 0 0 1 0	7	11	1
Nebraska City	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0	4	3

Batteries—Duran and Castle; Williford and Pinkerton. Umpire—Kratzberg.

WELL WATER BEING USED AT THE NORMAL

As far as drinking purposes are concerned, the city water supply has been cut off at the Normal. Excellent well water is now used for drinking and is obtained from the well in the pine grove. This well has been connected with the building by a pipe line, and the water is forced into a large barrel and cooled by ice. Water cannot be obtained at the well itself, and the people who have been in the practice of watering their horses there will have to go to the well south of the grove, near the road, where provision for watering horses will be made. This now makes an excellent and plenteous water supply at the Normal, and they will not suffer in case the city water gives out.

BROUGHT BROTHER TO THE HOSPITAL

Mrs. U. I. Wilson went to St. Joseph Saturday evening, where she was called by the illness of her brother, G. R. Eaton, a traveling salesman of that city. She returned to Maryville Sunday night with her brother, who is very ill of typhoid fever and has been taken to her home on South Main street. The young man's father, Charles Eaton of Barnard, arrived in the city Monday noon. Mrs. Scribner Beech, Jr., is also a sister of the sick young man.

Miss Inez Rea, a State Normal student, spent Sunday at her home near Pickering. She was accompanied by Miss Lola May Jones, also a Normal student, who was her guest.

Latest Post Cards, 1 cent each, at Crane's.

TEAM TO HUMBOLDT

MARYVILLE FRANCHISE TRANSFERRED TO THAT TOWN.

COULDN'T STOP TRANSFER

Falls City, Auburn, Nebraska City and Clarinda Had Lined Up for Humboldt.

Mo more Mink league base ball in Maryville this season. The Maryville franchise has been given to Humboldt, Neb.

Maryville lost its franchise Friday by failure to present its nine against Falls City, and for Maryville to get back in the league it required the concent of three other teams. All the money that was thought necessary for Maryville to finish the season was raised Saturday afternoon, and at a meeting Saturday night of the fans, W. C. Pierce and John Kane were selected to go to Falls City on Sunday to see if Maryville could get her franchise back in the league and to meet President Carey of the league.

Mr. Pierce and Mr. Kane went to Falls City, but were unable to do anything, as Falls City had lined up Auburn, Nebraska City and Clarinda against letting Maryville back, and they were for transferring the franchise to Humboldt, as that town was much closer to the teams in Nebraska than Maryville.

So the Maryville franchise was given to Humboldt. Nothing could be done by the Maryville men, and even President Carey had about all arrangements made for giving the franchise to Humboldt a day before. No money was paid by the Humboldt management, it is said, for the team.

LOST VALUABLE HORSE FROM HYDROPHOBIA

E. P. Powell, living four miles southwest of Maryville, lost a valuable horse Sunday from hydrophobia.

Within the last three weeks Mr. Powell has shot four dogs with rabies that came to his place. A fifth dog, with the same disease, which he attempted to kill, got away from him, and it may be that other fatalities among stock may be the result.

Let everybody be watchful of their dags, and especially so of all strange dogs. "Swat the fly" is a great slogan just now. Let us add another to it and let it be "Swat the dog."

The horrors of hydrophobia should not be invited by our carelessness and neglect. Let our officers take the matter up at once and not wait for the usual dog days of August. They are here now. Let's attend to them, and "swat the fly" on the side.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Miller spent Sunday at the home of their daughter in Bolckow.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Patterson of near Orrsburg were visiting in the city Sunday with Mrs. Patterson's brother, C. E. White, and family.

The Weather

Generally fair tonight and Tuesday; slightly warmer tonight.

Advice about your eyes.

When reading have the light fall on the page over the left shoulder. Never try to read with insufficient light. Do not continue reading or sewing after your eyes have begun to tire. Never use eye salves or washes except upon the advice of a physician. If after you heed these warnings your eyes even still give you trouble, visit our optical department, and get a properly fitted pair of glasses.

Crane's

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THORNHILL'S BARN DESTROYED BY FIRE

The large barn on the farm of Judge John G. Thornhill, seven miles northwest of the city, was totally destroyed Sunday afternoon about 3 o'clock. The cause of the fire is not known. Twenty tons of hay, 300 bushels of corn and a new silo were in the barn and were also destroyed. No stock was lost. The loss is about $2,200, with $1,100 insurance.

Will Build New House.

Deputy County Clerk Fred J. Yeomans and his mother, Mrs. S. J. Yeomans, went to Hopkins Sunday night, Mr. Yeomans returning Monday morning. Mrs. Yeomans let the contract Monday morning for the erection of a new residence for herself in Hopkins to Contractor Owens of that place. She will take up her residence among her old friends there this fall, after a residence in Maryville of over four years, during which time her son has served as deputy to County Clerk George Demott.

President Taylor in St. Joseph.

Dr. H. K. Taylor left Monday noon on the Wabash for a business trip to St. Joseph, returning the same evening.

Mr. Welch Very Ill.

J. T. Welch of the hardware firm of Hudson & Welch, is lying very ill of kidney trouble at his home on West First street. He has been sick for two weeks. His daughter, Miss Helen Welch, who has been ill for some time from an abscess on the brain, is improving. Mr. Welch's son, Edward Welch, of Chicago, arrived in the city Saturday evening.

Has Leased the Hill Property.

Wallace Horner, druggist at the Orear-Henry drug store, has leased the W. A. Hill place on West First street for two months. His mother, Mrs. H. T. Bohan, of Rosendale and his little daughter, Opal Horner, of Osborn, Kan., will spend that time in Maryville. Mrs. Hill and children are spending the summer in Illinois with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Jeffrey of Coin Ia., came to Maryville Monday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs Fletcher Dalby, living two miles north of the city.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Mallory and two sons of Lincoln, Neb., arrived Monday to visit Mrs. Mallory's sisters, Mrs. Harry Kisser, and family.

Miss Pearl Laird, who has been visiting Miss Ola Smith, returned Sunday evening to her home in Bedford, Ia.

Hal Reynolds and Allen Hamlen of Bedford, Ia., were in the city to see the ball game between Bedford and Maryville Red Socks.

Latest stationery for correspondence at Crane's.

Stop Frowning

Frowns are a pretty sure indication of weak eyes or defective vison — also that a good pair of glasses are needed; they will improve your looks as well as your eyesight.

Wear Proper Glasses

Glasses to fit your needs must fit your features as well as your eyes. We can do both to your entire satisfaction.

YOU WILL LOOK WELL AND SEE WELL IF YOU HAVE THEM FITTED AT

Price's Brothers

109 West Third Street.

News of Society and Womens' Clubs

Picnic on the 102 River.

A party spent Sunday near the 102 river, about four miles south of town. Dinner and supper were served. In the party were Mr. and Mrs. Rol Hosmer and daughter, Margaret Louise; Dr. and Mrs. Lafe C. Allender, Mr. and Mrs. John J. Walsh of St. Joseph, Misses Alice Martin, Nell Conrad, Clara and Rena Sturm, Maud Bainum, Brownie Toel, Maud McCluskey, Jessie Ladwig of St. Joseph, Messrs. Earl Barmann, Dr. E. C. Braniger, Lou Grems, Cleve Funk, Will Phares, Will Montgomery, Edward Keck and Edward Schumacher.

Arkoe Dinner Guests.

Mrs. A. P. Bolin and daby daughter and Miss Margaret Bolin of Arkoe were 12 o'clock dinner guests Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Stephenson of South Main street, as the guests of their daughter, Mrs. William C. Courtney of Houston, Texas, who is here for the summer.

House Party Guests.

Miss Beulah Thompson, who is attending the State Normal, entertained two other Normal students, Miss Lillie Taylor and Miss Amarilla Myers of Craig, at a week-end house party at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Thompson, near Guilford, Saturday and Sunday.

Picnicked on 102 River.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Raines and three little daughters, Mabel, Evelyn and Laura Margaret, spent Sunday on the banks of the 102 river.

Picnic Supper.

Misses Anna Bainum, Glen Hotchkiss, Grace Sturm and Messrs. George Kemp, Fred Bellows and Elmore Frank went to McJimsey's lake with filled baskets for a picnic supper Sunday evening.

Cunningham-Smith Engagement.

The social columns of the Kansas City Post of Sunday contains this notice: "Mrs. Mary Ellen McGinley, 1653 Jefferson avenue, announces the engagement of her niece, May Frances Cunningham, to Mr. Charles Woodson Smith. The marriage will take place August 9, 1911, in the cathedral at Kansas City."

The bridegroom-to-be is the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Q. Smith of Maryville. He and his brother, William Smith, have been salesmen for the dry goods house of Burnham-Munger-Root in Kansas City for the past eight years and are fine young business men. They visited their parents in this city last Christmas. It is the custom of the C. Q. Smith family to hold a reunion twice a year, in June and during Christmas week. This year the June meeting will be postponed until August, when the reunion will be held to celebrate the marriage of the family's eldest son. Mr. and Mrs. Smith and their daughters, Miss Stella Q. Smith, Miss Frances Smith and Miss Eleanor Smith, will go to Kansas City to attend the wedding, where they will be met by two other daughters, Mrs. Lawrence Hunt of Lamar, Col., and Mrs. C. Edward Sturm of Oklahoma City, Okla., and all will return to the parental home together for the reunion.

Visiting in the City.

Will Lippman of St. Louis, manager of the French Piano company of that city, was in Maryville Sunday and Monday visiting his mother, Mrs. Lizetta Lippman, and also on business.

Has Opened a Well.

T. W. Costello has opened and is cleaning out an old well on his property on North Main street. Some other people are opening their various wells in different parts of town, and it would be well for all to do the same.

Appointed Administratrix.

Mrs. E. J. Williams was appointed administratrix of the estate of the late E. J. Williams, who died recently, by Probate Judge Conn Saturday. No will was left by Mr. Williams.

Albert Franton of near Sweet Home was transacting business in the city Saturday.

Bruce Martindale of Clyde was a city visitor Monday.

Miss Phil Romasser of Kansas City visited in Maryville over Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Romasser.

Mrs. Susan Ebrick and son Elmer returned to their home in St. Joseph Saturday evening from a visit with her sister, Mrs. Charles Shelton, living southwest of Maryville.

Miss Ethel Stewart of Kansas City is visiting at the home of her aunt, Mrs. G. B. McKenzie.

PICNIC TO BE HELD IN KANSAS CITY AUG. 26

The former residents of Nodaway and Gentry counties who are now living in Kansas City will hold their annual picnic this year in one of the parks of that city on Saturday, August 26.

B. R. Martin of St. Joseph has been secured to deliver the principal address. Other speakers on the program will be Judge J. W. Tompson, formerly of Maryville; Judge E. E. Aleshire, formerly of Stanberry, and Assistant Prosecuting Attorney Henry L. Jost, formerly of Nodaway county, but now of Kansas City. The program will contain beside speaking, musical numbers, and a fine chicken dinner will be given.

All former Nodaway county residents who are now living in Kansas City are requested to send in correct name and city address to Daniel E. Burd, at 506-7 New York Life building, Kansas City.

Miss Belle Collins, a State Normal student, spent Sunday with home folks near Barnard.

Mrs. J. P. McCarty and daughter, Helen Marie, returned to their home in St. Joseph Monday morning from a visit with her mother, Mrs. Michael Welch of Stanberry.

Bedford Won.

Sunday's ball game at Riffe's park between the Maryville Red Socks and Bedford, Ia., resulted in a victory for the latter, 18 to 5.

Was in Town Monday.

A. McPhail, formerly in the tailoring business in this city, but now of Maitland, was in Maryville Monday, calling on his many friends here. Mr. McPhail moved to Maitland from Maryville ten years ago.

Is 98 Today.

The government thermometer was 98 this afternoon about 3 o'clock.

Mr. Childress is Better.

H. P. Childress, who has been quite ill for two weeks, owing to a blood-poisoned hand, was somewhat improved Monday, and his physicians think he will get along all right now, unless something unforeseen sets in. Mr. Childress is 72 years old and this is the first real sickness he has had in all his life.

J. N. Smith, Matt Hall, Jake Eckles, Dan Mowry and J. A. Kavanaugh of Graham came to Maryville Monday in Mr. Kavanaugh's automobile.

PERFUMED FRUIT.

Five Fingered Oranges Smell Sweet, but Are Not Good to Eat.

A most weird looking fruit is the five fingered orange. It grows in exactly the shape of a half open hand. Even the nails are identical, hard pointed and claw-like, tipping the orange flowers with a length equal, in some cases, to three inches.

It is no freak, but a proper kind of orange, belonging to a special variety. The tree itself is a rugged little shrub that does not average more than five or six feet in height in its native home, Japan. It does not grow straight, as the ordinary orange tree should, but is curved in all directions.

Even the branches grow in spiral or twisted forms, so that the width of the tree is often greater than the height. The fruit itself is of a pale yellow color, of a pure lemon hue, growing greenish toward the stem. The size is immense, considering the smallness of the tree, the largest ones measuring when mature fully ten inches from the wrist to the point of the middle finger, including the nail.

But the fruit is not good to eat, though what it lacks in flavor it more than makes good in perfume. Perhaps the strangest thing about this perfume is that it is the fruit and not the flower that is odorous.—Pearson's Weekly.

THE SHORTEST SPEECH.

It Was Delivered by Caesar and Consisted of a Single Word.

Julius Caesar holds the record for brevity of convincing speech.

The story is told that while Caesar was in the midst of his struggle for the mastery of the Roman empire the soldiers of his favorite Tenth legion mutinied. He appeared before them, and, uttering the one word "Quirites," paused.

That word means, of course, "citizens," but to the veterans to whom it was addressed it meant a great deal more. It was the special term used in addressing Roman voters assembled in a purely civic capacity, not as soldiers, but as civilians.

To the mutinous soldiers it meant that the great commander, whom they had followed for ten long years from the Alps to the Thames and from the Rhine to the Pyrenees and across the Rubicon, disowned them as soldiers and dismissed them from his victorious service.

Realizing its meaning, the story goes, the mutineers were appalled. Battle scarred veterans burst into tears, implored their leader to pardon them and inflicted summary punishment upon the inciters of the mutiny as a proof of their repentance.

LEPROSY IN INDIA.

The "Untouchables" Reach the Lowest Depths of Human Woe.

The "untouchables" of India reside in little huts made of palm leaves or mud, without windows, and with a single doorway, usually so small that even a child must stoop in order to enter it, containing absolutely no furniture, except a few rudely baked earthen pots and pans.

Generally there is no bedstead of any kind, the whole family sleeping huddled up on the bare dirt floor, which is commonly plastered with cow dung. A few rags cover their persons, and these are worn night and day. Their financial condition precludes eating more than one meal a day, and this oftener than not is far from hunger appeasing and is seldom calculated to appeal to the palate. For this wretched existence they must work hard and long hours.

On account of the filthy condition in which they live disease is rampant among them. According to the last census, eighty-eight out of every 100,000 people of the depressed classes are afflicted with leprosy. In the matter of education they are as deficient as they are in every other virtue. According to the report of the director general of public instruction of Bombay, barely five out of 1,000 of the pariah children of the presidency of school going age attend school.

In one word, these fifty-three odd millions of Hindus are not only socially but also intellectually, physically, financially and morally submerged.—Saint Nihal Singh in Southern Workman.

FREEZES THE LUNGS.

When Intensely Cold Air Is Breathed In Through the Mouth.

"I asked an Alaskan pioneer who was crossing to his old home in Sweden what happened when the thermometer goes down to 60 and 80 degrees below zero," said a Seattle man. "At 60 degrees below," he said, "the exposed ears, hands or nose will freeze in going a quarter of a mile under ordinary circumstances, but the children go to and come from school as usual without suffering from the cold, provided their faces and hands are protected.

"They soon get used to it. But caution must be used to avoid drawing the cold air into the lungs, and it is dangerous to breathe through the mouth. More die from pneumonia brought on by freezing the lungs in that way than from any other form of exposure. Horses are protected by breathing bags, which extend down from the nose of the animal about eighteen inches and are open at the bottom. The breath which is exhaled warms the air in the bag before it is inhaled and drawn into the lungs. And men wear a 'parky' or headdress which extends over the face and affords similar protection.

"In the Canadian districts the northwest mounted police regulate the treatment of horses on the freight wagons and stage lines in a most humane manner, so as to prevent them from suffering in this way."—Washington Herald.

Slavery In Scottish Mines.

Slavery lingered in the Scottish mine until the very eve of the nineteenth century. Mr. Hackwood, in "The Good Old Times," draws a picture of the Scottish miner's unhappy lot in the past: "From about the year 1445 until 1775 the miners of Scotland were bought and sold with the soil. It is stated in old chronicles that bloodhounds were kept to trace them if they left their employment and to aid in bringing them back. By statute law miners were bound to work all days in the year except Paschal and Yule, and if they did not work they were to be 'whipped in the bodies for the glory of God and for the good of their masters.' Not until 1775 was the first law passed in an attempt to better this state of things, but it was 1799 ere the law gave the working miner of Scotland his complete freedom."—London Chronicle.

The Word "Terse."

"Terse" is a word that has an understood meaning nowadays. Shadwell in the fourth act of "The Humorists" (1671) put this question into the mouth of one of his characters: "Must I stay till by the strength of terse claret you have wet yourself into courage?" It is probably an allusion to what is still sometimes called "Dutch courage"—bravery inspired by alcohol. Claret was in those times imported in "tierces," and "terse" may be a condensed form of that word; also "terse claret" may have been a drink that did its business without any circumlocution, like the terse speaker or writer.

Circular Plates.

All our plates are circular in shape. Now, a square or oval plate would be just as convenient. Is there any reason why plates should be of their present shape? It seems that if we dip into the far past we may discover the cause. Our remote ancestors ate their food off flat pieces of wood cut from a tree trunk. The tree trunk being cylindrical in shape, the earliest plates were therefore roughly circular, and the shape has been used ever since.

Taking Her Down.

Miss Elderbud (triumphantly)—Just think of it! At the ball last night I listened to five declarations of love. Her Friend—How mean of you, Alice! Who was the pretty girl you were sitting near?—Boston Transcript.

He is no whole man until he knows how to earn a blameless livelihood.—Emerson.

NAPOLEON CARICATURES.

The First Was Drawn by a Fellow Student at Brienne.

Napoleon in caricature is one of the most prolific of subjects. Indeed, European political caricature from 1798 until 1815 may be said to have been Napoleon. Although in France this form of pictorial art was rigidly suppressed, Gilray and Rowlandson in England and a score of artists in Germany and Austria were depicting the great emperor as the most infamous of monsters.

The first known caricature of Bonaparte was drawn years before the first consulate, when the Bourbons still sat upon the throne of France. It is reproduced in Norwood Young's "The Growth of Napoleon." Young Bonaparte's years at the military academy at Brienne were not happy ones. He was a Corsican, and at that time Corsica was a recently conquered province.

The cartoon, which was drawn by a schoolmate, represents the future emperor standing, a severe and determined look upon his face, with both hands on the top of a musket, resting the butt on the ground. A smaller figure behind him, an old man whose nose nearly reaches his chin, is pulling him back by his wig.

Napoleon's feet face in two directions—one forward, the other backward. Underneath is written, "Bonaparte rushes to the aid of Paoli to rescue him from the hand of his enemies." These words have been struck through with a pen, which has also been drawn across the face of Napoleon.

THE PERSIANS.

Not Ruled by Caste, but Are Great Sticklers For Etiquette.

The pleasures of the Persians are in the main refined. They have not many kinds of recreation. Conversation is one of their chief enjoyments. Although a large proportion of them can neither read nor write, I think we must call them an intellectual people.

They are natural linguists, and since their country is inhabited by many different races they are obliged to speak several different languages. It is not uncommon to find a man who scarcely knows his right hand from his left who can speak two or three languages fluently. To this number a man of any education whatever would add two or three more.

There is no caste among any of the races found in Persia. A son of Nasir-i-Din Shah's butler became his prime minister; a peasant girl once became the first favorite of this same king's anderun because she lifted her veil as the king was passing through her native village and her beauty appealed to the royal fancy.

But while there is no caste the Persians are in some ways great sticklers for etiquette. The Zil-i-Sultan, the oldest and most capable son of Nasir-i-Din, could not succeed his father on the throne because his mother was not of royal birth. All social functions, moreover, are attended with the most rigid ceremonies, and woe to the person who attempts to overstep the bounds which custom has prescribed for his rank.—Mary A. Colquhoun in Los Angeles Times.

The Message In the Box.

On a table in the waiting room of a specialist is an inlaid box. When one opens it—and most visitors to the specialist do—a smaller box is found and one not so large inside that. This continues until finally the last is reached, a tiny thing with a slip of paper inside it. On the paper is a single word, "Curiosity."

"I keep it there to amuse waiting patients," explained the specialist. "If there was only one who went through the scale of boxes he might feel sore about it, but he or she leaves the box closed for the next comer, and when there are quite a few in the waiting room it gets to be a pretty good joke, and I can hear laughter as the latest arrival gets stung. I picked the box up on a trip to India and happened to leave it in the waiting room one day. Now it stays there all the time."—New York Sun.

Peg Tankards.

The pegging or marking of drinking cups was introduced by St. Dunstan to check the intemperate habits of the times by preventing one man from taking a larger draft than his companions. But the device proved the means of increasing the evil it was intended to remedy, for, refining upon St. Dunstan's plan, the most abstemious were required to drink precisely to a peg or pin, whether they could soberly take such a quantity of liquor or not.

Different Positions.

"What does the man do over there at the desk who seems to be working so hard?"

"He checks the cash."

"And what does the man do who is leaning back in the easy chair smoking?"

"Oh, he cashes the checks."—Baltimore American.

An Exception.

"Happiness," declaimed the philosopher, "is the pursuit of something, not the catching of it."

"Have you ever," interrupted the plain citizen, "chased the last car on a rainy night?"—Toledo Blade.

Sensitiveness.

The smallest bird cannot light upon the greatest tree without sending a shock to its most distant fiber. Every mind is at times no less sensitive to the most trifling words.—Lew Wallace in "Ben-Hur."

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35c sacks best GRAHAM.....25c
25c sacks CORNMEAL.....15c
7 lbs clean WHITE RICE, slightly broken 25c
5 lbs whole grain CAROLINA RICE for 25c
2 lbs extra large clean PRUNES..25c
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3 pkgs DERNELL'S POTATO CHIPS for 25c
2 kgs (10c) best CORN FLAKES 15c
50c can (16 ozs) Dr. Price's CREAM BAKING POWDER 39c
25c can (25 ozs) K. C. BAKING POWDER 16c
80c can (80 ozs) K. C. BAKING POWDER 55c
25c pkg (4 lbs) GOLD DUST.....17c
Gallon cans (chuck full), large YELLOW FREE PEACHES only....40c
15c cans Armour's LUNCHEON SAUSAGE, in sauce, 3 for.....25c
LIBBY'S POTTED HAM or TONGUE, 5c size, 6 cans for.....25c
Bulk Steel Cut OATMEAL, 7 lbs for 25c
FLAKE HOMINY, 7 lbs for.....25c
WELCH'S GRAPE JUICE, quarts, 40c; pints, 20c; half pints, 2 for.....25c
EXCELSIOR SPRINGS WATER, quart bottles 15c
Quart bottles GINGER ALE.....15c
40c quality excellent GUNPOWDER TEA, lb 27c
25c quality good drinker GUNPOWDER TEA 18c

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ELGIN CREAM SUGAR CORN, 3 cans 25c; doz 90c
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Quart bottles best BLUING, 2 for..15c
Quart bottles AMMONIA, 2 for....15c
QUAKER ROLLED OATS, in sealed tins, 2 for.....25c
18 lbs fine dry GRANULATED SUGAR $1.00
10 bars LENOX SOAP for.....30c
10 bars BEN HUR SOAP.....34c
10 bars BOB WHITE SOAP.....34c
10 bars SUNNY MONDAY SOAP..38c
2 pkgs (10c) SCOTCH BARLEY...15c
2 pkgs best MACARONI or SPAGHETTI 15c
2 pkgs minute TAPIOCA.....15c
6 cans MUSTARD SARDINES....25c

SPECIAL ATTENTION GIVEN TO OUT-OF-TOWN SHIPPING ORDERS.

6 cans best SARDINES in oil.....25c
100 dozen 1-lb tall cans PINK SALMON, each 10c
1-lb cans ACROPOLIS RED SALMON for 15c
½-lb cans ACROPOLIS RED SALMON, 2 for.....25c
3½ lbs RED KIDNEY BEANS....25c
3½ lbs CALIFORNIA PINK BEANS for 25c
Fresh baked GINGER SNAPS, 2 lbs for 15c
Best COVE OYSTERS, No. 1 cans, 2 for 15c
Best COVE OYSTERS, No. 2 cans, each 15c

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CHICAGO.

Cattle—26,000. Market 10c lower. Estimate tomorrow, 3,000.

Hogs—37,000. Market 5c lower; top, $6.82. Estimate tomorrow, 16,000.

Sheep—24,000. Market 10c lower.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—10,000. Market lower.

Hogs—12,000. Market 5c lower; top, $6.55.

Sheep—5,000. Market steady.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—2,000. Market lower.

Hogs—5,000. Market 5c lower; top, $6.50.

Sheep—150. Market steady.

Mrs. Roberts Died at Hospital.

Mrs. Maggie Roberts of Lenox, Ia., died Sunday at St. Francis hospital, where she had undergone a surgical operation. The body was taken to Lenox Monday noon for burial, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Humphrey of Lenox, who came to Maryville Monday morning. Mrs. Roberts is survived by her mother and a daughter, Miss Winifred Roberts.

Accompanied Family Home.

John J. Walsh of St. Joseph spent Sunday in Maryville, a guest at the home of his father-in-law, Nic Sturm. He returned home Monday morning, accompanied by Mrs. Walsh and their baby son, who had been here on a month's visit.

Her Brother-in-Law Ill.

Miss Lena Carder went to Burlingame, Kan., Saturday evening, where she was called by the dangerous illness of her brother-in-law, G. W. Cones.

Left for Wisconsin.

Nic Schumacher left Monday morning for Green Bay, Wis., where, in company with his son, John P. Schumacher of St. Joseph, he will spend the remainder of the summer at the summer cottage of his brother, John Schumacher of Chicago, near Green Bay.

Miss Ethel McCammon of Bolckow returned to her home Monday from a visit with Miss Ula Strader.

Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Airy and little daughter of Okmulgee, Okla., are in Maryville for a vacation visit with Mr. Airy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Airy.

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SENATE BUSY ON RECIPROCITY

Discussion of Amendments May Take Up Several Days.

ON LOOKOUT FOR FILIBUSTER

Majority Will Take Care to Prevent Any Unnecessarily Long Delay. House Will Be Active Only in Its Committees.

Washington, July 10.—A lively clearing of the way for the passage of the unamended Canadian reciprocity bill by the voting down of the Cummins and Simmons amendments, and continued discussion and action on other provisions in connection with the bill will keep the senate busy all week while the house, which will meet Wednesday and quickly adjourn until Saturday, will be active only in its committees.

The amendments proposed by Cummins, which would add steel, iron coal, lumber, wool, cotton and other products to the free list, and the amendments proposed by Simmons are somewhat similar in nature. These are expected to be bowled over.

Dilatory tactics will be met with such acts of coercion as the majority might decide would expedite business

CHARGES AGAINST PRESIDENT

Story That He Was Induced to Restore Land Investigated.

Washington, July 10.—Published charges that the president had been induced by three persons, his brother, former Secretary of the Interior Ballinger and Richard S. Ryan of New York, a representative of the Guggenheim interests, to restore to the public domain lands surrounding Controller bay, in southern Alaska, met with quick action in congress.

The house committee on expenditures, headed by Representative Graham of Illinois, summoned Commissioner Dennett of the general land office, to appear before the committee today to explain what he knows about the matter, and Representative Cox of Indiana, one of the Democratic leaders of the house, introduced a resolution calling on President Taft for all the information he can furnish the house on the subject.

This information is to include the reason why he signed the order of restoration after the land had been set aside as a reserve and whether he knew Ryan was working in the interest of the Guggenheims.

TEACHERS AT FRISCO

Will Determine Policies of National Organization for Coming Year.

San Francisco, July 11.—The National Educational association began here today its annual meeting, where will be determined policies to be felt in the coming year in every public school in the nation. For three days special trains have been emptying into the city delegations from nearly every state in the union. From the opening addresses of welcome delivered this afternoon in the Greek theater at Berkeley, to the closing sessions next week, the convention program is crowded with important addresses.

CHILD KILLED IN AUTO CRASH

Machine Carrying Masonic Orphans Run Into by Racing Car.

Louisville, July 10.—One child was killed, two fatally injured and nine less seriously injured when an automobile loaded with members of the Masonic widows' and orphans' home was struck by another automobile, racing in a boulevard in the suburb.

An automobile owned by Marion B. Taylor, a distiller, was racing with another car and just before it reached the machine containing the children the front tire became loosened, causing the machine to swerve.

VINSON HELD AS DEFAULTER

Leading Indianapolis Business and Club Man Arrested.

Indianapolis, July 10.—Frank J. Vinson, former director of the Columbia club, which entertained President Taft last week, and auditor of the Brown-Ketcham Iron works of this city, surrendered to the police after a warrant charging him specifically with the embezzlement of $4,600 from the iron works company had been issued. It is said the total shortage will reach $56,000.

First Electrocution in Kentucky.

Eddyville, Ky., July 10.—When the first execution under the new law providing for electrocution in place of hanging took place in the state prison, it came near ending in the death of two persons. Dr. R. H. Moss stepped forward to feel the pulse of the negro, who formed the first subject, before the current had been turned off. A warning cry from the electrician saved him.

Arguments in See Case.

Chicago, July 10.—Both the state and the defense in the trial of Evelyn Arthur See, charged with the abduction of Mildred Bridges, rested their case and arguments began this morning. The prosecutor will speak all day and the defense will take tomorrow. It is not expected the case will reach the jury before Wednesday.

EIGHT KILLED IN POLITICAL RIOT

Partisans of Juarez Lead Attack on Mercantile Houses.

MORE THAN FIFTEEN WOUNDED

Partisans of Rival Candidates For Governor of Mexican State Engage in Battle on Streets—Merchants Defending Stores Fire Into Mob.

Oaxaca, Mex., July 10.—Eight men were killed and more than fifteen wounded in a political riot in Ocotlan. Partisans of Benito Juarez, one of the two candidates for governor, inaugurated the riot by leading an attack on mercantile establishments of Diaz brothers, relatives of General Felix Diaz, opposing candidate for governor.

Armed resistance on the part of occupants of the store increased the fury of the mob, which ran amuck through the principal streets, breaking windows of private residences and business houses. Merchants posted themselves in many cases on top of their buildings and shot into the attacking mob. Two companies of soldiers were sent from here to garrison the town.

GIVES MILLION FOR HOSPITAL

R. A. Long Announces His Gift for Structure in Kansas City.

Portland, Ore., July 10.—At the annual international missionary convention of the Christian church, R. A. Long, the Kansas City millionaire lumberman, announced that he would during the next ten years give $1,000,000 for the establishment of a nonsectarian national hospital to be located on a thirty-eight-acre tract in Kansas City, now owned by the Christian church. But two conditions govern the donation. The church must raise another million dollars, and one-third of the beds in the institution must be free. The church already has raised $400,000 of the amount required and the officers expect to have no difficulty in raising the $600,000 balance during the coming ten years.

CAN SUE IN HIGHER COURT

Mrs. Rawn's Insurance Troubles to Be Decided Early in September.

Jefferson City, Mo., July 10.—The right of Mrs. Florence Rawn to sue in the Missouri courts for insurance carried by her husband, the late Ira G. Rawn of Chicago, will be determined by the supreme court early in September.

The supreme court declared a temporary writ of prohibition returnable Sept. 4 against Judge Grimm of St. Louis to restrain him from proceeding to the trial of her suit against one insurance company for $14,000 on a policy.

Mrs. Rawn filed ten other suits against other companies in the circuit court at St. Louis and the settlement of jurisdiction in that case will settle the matter in the others.

DUEZ ON TRIAL IN PARIS

Receiver of Church Properties Proved Monumental Thief.

Paris, July 10.—Edward Duez, who was very active in the anarchistic and governmental crusade which resulted in the closing of many churches and convents and the driving of Sisters of Charity out of the country, was recently placed on trial here. He has been proved to be a monumental robber.

Duez, who was the government liquidator of the property of the religious orders, is accused of having embezzled $2,000,000 of the money secured from the sale of clerical property, which should have been handed to the treasury. He has confessed.

ROBERT P. NEIL IS ARRESTED

Head of Railroad Employees Charged With Diverting Money to Own Use.

Boston, July 10.—Robert P. Neil, president of the Brotherhood of Railroad Employees, was arrested on a charge of using the United States mails to defraud. It is alleged that Neil on Dec. 1, 1910, issued circulars soliciting advertisements for a magazine, the proceeds of which were to be used for death and sick benefits for railroad men, and that the funds received were diverted to Neil's own uses. Members of Neil's family furnished bail in $1,000 and he was released.

Girl Choked by a Stamp.

Geneva, July 10.—An extraordinary fatality has occurred at the village of Koblenz. In the presence of her parents a girl of seventeen was killed by a postage stamp. She placed the stamp on her tongue to moisten it, and in doing so coughed and swallowed it. The stamp stuck in her throat and choked her before medical aid arrived.

Penitentiary Chaplain Quits.

Jefferson City, Mo., July 10.—Because of criticism growing out of his connection with the courtship and marriage of Miss Ethel Fasken to Harry Van Warringa, a former convict at the Missouri penitentiary, the Rev. J. J. Martin, chaplain of the state penitentiary, has tendered his resignation, to take effect Aug. 1.

Daily Democrat-Forum

Circulation Statement

N. S. DeMotte, Superintendent and Acting Business Manager of the Democrat-Forum, being duly sworn, states upon oath that the Daily Circulation of the Democrat-Forum is over One Thousand Nine Hundred (1900) Copies.

N. S. DEMOTTE.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of July, 1911.

A. F. HARVEY,
Notary Public.

(Seal)

My term expires June 17th, 1915.

Left for Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Signs left Saturday evening for Coyle, Okla., which will be their future home. They sold their residence on South Buchanan street to Mrs. Clara Davenport.

Met Sister from Montana.

Miss Marguerite Conway went to St. Joseph Saturday evening to meet her sister, Mrs. Edward McCormick of Billings, Mont., and accompanied her to Clyde on a visit to their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Conway.

Mrs. W. B. Hoskins of St. Joseph, who had been visiting her mother, Mrs. W. G. Murray of East First street, since Wednesday, returned to her home Monday morning, accompanied by Mrs. Murray, who will visit her a few days.

Mrs. T. E. Wachtel and daughter, Vera, returned to their home at Rosendale Monday, after a visit with Mr. Wachtel's sisters, Mrs. John W. Airy and Mrs. John Bailey.

Miss Mabel Kaufman and two of her friends, Miss Mildred Cummings and Miss Lulu Fisher, went to Arkoe Saturday evening for a week-end visit at the country home of Miss Kaufman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Kaufman.

Miss Pearl Bright of Arkoe came to Maryville Monday to visit the family of her brother, Bud Wright. She was accompanied by her guest, Miss Mary Spittler, of Riverton, Ia., who will return to her home Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Smith of near Barnard were in Maryville Saturday, and visited Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Curnutt, of East Third street.

Mrs. Andy Cook and son and daughter, Cory and Miss Gladys, went to St. Joseph Saturday evening to join Mr. Cook, and will make their home in that city.

Eastman Kodaks and supplies at Crane's.

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You are urged to investigate the merits of the Old Gas Engine. We have them from 1½ to 600 horse power and can be used to advantage in almost any kind of work, filling silos, for the cream separator, sheller or grinder, or wood saw. W put a guarantee on every engine that goes out of our place. We solicit your patronage.

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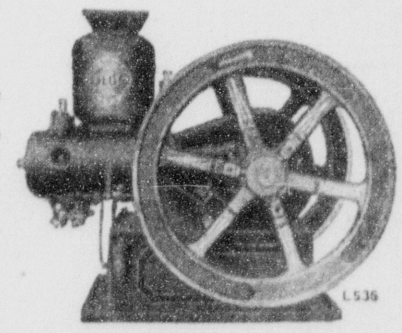

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The great danger of kidney troubles is that they get a firm hold before the sufferer recognizes them. Health is gradually undermined. Backache, headache, nervousness, lameness, soreness, lumbago, urinary troubles and dropsy follow in merciless succession. Don't neglect your kidneys. Cure the kidneys with the safe remedy, Doan's Kidney Pills, which has cured people right here in Maryville.

T. J. Clayton, South Dewey street, Maryville, Mo., says: "I suffered from pains in my back for some time and I was also bothered by irregular passages of the kidney secretions. Learning of Doan's Kidney Pills, I procured a supply at Charles A. Love's drug store and upon using them I was relieved. During the seven years that have since elapsed I have remained practically free from kidney trouble."

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Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

His Father is Worse.

Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Davidson went to Hopkins Monday on account of the illness of Mr. Davidson's father, Clay Davidson, who lives eight miles east of that place. Mr. Davidson has been in poor health for a year, but has only been confined to his bed the past few weeks.

Mrs. J. J. Mahoney spent Sunday in Skidmore with her daughter, Mrs. M. J. Dougan, and family.

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Uncle Sam to Have His Hands Full Maintaining Peace.

REVOLUTIONARY TALK HEARD.

Trouble in Cuba, Central and South America—Castro Now in Venezuela, Rallying Army Around Him—Gunboat Vicksburg Sent to Nicaragua.

WHERE TROUBLES ARE.

Castro lands in Venezuela and takes the lead at head of 10,000.

Revolutionary agitations in Cuba make it possible the United States will be compelled to intervene.

Discontent in Nicaragua assumes an acute phase and may end in a general uprising in that republic.

Hayti buys another warship in anticipation of trouble.

Washington, July 10.—Uncle Sam is likely to have his hands full maintaining the peace of Cuba, Central and South America.

The news of the success of Cypriana Castro in eluding the vigilance of the United States and landing in Venezuela and quietly rallying 10,000 fighting mountaineers to his standard came as a shock to the government.

When added to this is the fact that revolutionary feeling is running high in Cuba and Nicaragua, together with the unrest in Honduras, Mexico and Haiti, it may be seen that Secretary Knox has the prospect of a lively summer ahead, with work possibly for Secretary Meyer of the navy and Secretary Stimson of the army.

The feeling is growing that the time is not far distant when an actual protectorate, backed by adequate military force, will be necessary in all those Latin-American republics contiguous to the Panama canal.

Venezuelan Situation.

The Venezuelan situation is immediately pressing. For weeks Castro, "The Stormy Petrel of South American politics," as he is known in diplomatic circles, has been playing a game of hide and seek with the gunboats of his own and other nations. Of his movements lately, it is known that he left Lisbon early in June aboard a battleship purchased from the Italian government for the Haitien navy. It was reported that he had a large supply of munitions of war. Now comes the news that he is at the head of a formidable force in Venezuela. That it means active hostilities is not doubted.

Evidences of revolutionary influences in Cuba has reached the war, state and navy departments, and a watch is being maintained on the leaders.

If a revolution occurs, the United States will intervene and stay in Cuba. The storm centers around Gomez, the president of the republic. He is assailed with charges of graft.

There are several aspirants for Gomez' place, but all of them are outside the pale of consideration by this government. Gomez' successor will be selected in Washington.

Situation in Cuba.

Guerra last winter threatened to take the Cuban regular army into the field and start a revolution. He was brought to a halt by the United States, and in a letter to General Wood, promised to behave. He has since thoroughly organized his rustic soldiers and it is believed here many arms have been smuggled into the country by his agents.

Colonel Piedra, at one time chief of police of Havana, is "on the outs" with the Cuban president, and has threatened, according to reports here, to join with Guerra and former Minister to Mexico Loynaz Castrillo and combat Gomez for renomination.

A fight between the president on one side and these three leaders on the other means a conflict between the rurales, over which the president rules with an iron hand, and the regular army and former members of the latter organization.

Another revolution is threatened in Nicaragua. And it will come, is the belief of the state department officials, unless the $15,000,000 loan now being negotiated in this country is consummated and the agreement between Nicaragua and the United States, guaranteeing the payment of the loan, is referred at this session of congress.

This came to light with the announcement that the gunboat Vicksburg would proceed from San Diego to Corinto, Nicaragua, to relieve the gunboat Yorktown, now at that station.

Rules Against Express Companies.

Washington, July 10.—Denying the right of the Wells-Fargo Express company to charge parcel rates on bulk packages, the interstate commerce commission reaffirmed a principle previously laid down and ordered that after Sept. 1 carriers shall not make the ownership of property offered for transportation a condition to the application of particular rates. The decision affects every express company operating in the United States.

Missouri Gets Rain.

Kansas City, July 10.—Breaking up a six weeks' drought, a rain from a quarter to three-quarters of an inch soaked nearly the entire state.

PRESIDENT GOMEZ.

Criticism of Cuba's Executive Leads to Talk of Revolution.

FOOD PRICES ARE HIGHER, SAYS REPORT

Labor Bureau Inquiry Show Costs Increase Four Per Cent.

Washington, July 10.—The high cost of living is no myth. An investigation by the bureau of labor of the prices of 257 commodities during 1010 shows that wholesale prices then were 4 per cent higher than in 1909 and 1.6 per cent above the average of 1907, which was the year of highest prices since 1890. In view of the Canadian reciprocity discussion an interesting item in the bureau report shows that the wholesale prices of farm products was 7.5 per cent higher in 1910 than in 1909.

Wholesale prices in 1910 were 19.1 per cent higher than in 1900.

Some extraordinary variations were recorded during 1910. Potatoes increased 306 per cent; eggs, 90 per cent; coffee, 60 per cent; mess beef, 35 per cent.

Body Is Indentified.

Saxman, Kan., July 10.—A body found buried in a sandhill near here on June 18 was identified as that of Julius H. Hix of St. Joseph, Ill. Pearl Sturm, a young farmer, is held for investigation in connection with the alleged murder.

STANDING OF THE TEAMS

National League.	W.	L.	P.	American League.	W.	L.	P.
New York	45	29	608	Phila	49	25	662
Chicago	43	28	606	Chicago	37	33	529
Phila	44	30	595	Detroit	50	24	676
St. Louis	42	31	575	New York	38	35	521
Pittsburg	41	31	569	Boston	38	35	521
Cin'nati	31	40	437	Cleveland	36	42	462
Brooklyn	27	45	375	Wash'n	27	48	360
Boston	17	56	233	St. Louis	20	53	274
Western League.				**Nebraska League.**			
Denver	48	27	640	Fremont	31	23	574
Pueblo	43	29	597	Superior	30	23	566
Lincoln	42	30	583	Grand Id.	31	25	554
St. Joe.	43	34	559	Seward	28	26	514
Soo City	40	34	541	Hastings	27	27	500
Omaha	36	39	480	Kearney	26	26	500
Topeka	28	46	379	Columbus	25	31	446
Des M's	18	59	234	York	18	33	353

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

American League.

At Chicago:

	R.	H.	E.
Chicago	1	6	1
New York	5	11	3

Young-Sullivan; Ford-Sweeney.

At St. Louis:

	R.	H.	E.
Boston	9	12	3
St. Louis	3	8	1

Cicotte-Williams; Nelson-Stephens.

At Detroit:

	R.	H.	E.
Detroit	6	12	3
Washington	7	10	1

Mitchell-Stanage; Johnson-Henry.

At Cleveland:

	R.	H.	E.
Cleveland	1	4	0
Philadelphia	0	4	0

Krapp-Fisher; Morgan-Thomas.

Western League.

At Omaha:

	R.	H.	E.
Omaha	5	6	9
Sioux City	4	6	2

Robinson-Agnew; Wilson-Towne.

At Denver—First game:

	R.	H.	E.
Pueblo	2	10	2
Denver	7	15	4

Durham and Clemmons; Kenworthy and Weaver.

Second game:

	R.	H.	E.
Pueblo	4	11	5
Denver	13	17	0

Perry-Clemmons; Kinsella-Frambes.

At St. Joseph:

	R.	H.	E.
Des Moines	7	13	0
St. Joseph	3	7	1

Benz-Ultowski; Johnson-Gossett.

Nebraska State League.

At Seward:

	R.	H.	E.
Hastings	0	2	1
Seward	1	4	2

Hill-Coe; Hanson-Wally.

At Grand Island:

	R.	H.	E.
Kearney	6	8	3
Grand Island	8	10	2

Carey-Magerkurth; Hartman-Jokerst.

At Columbus:

	R.	H.	E.
Fremont	3	5	3
Columbus	6	6	0

Watson-Neff; Kissell-Agnew.

WANTS

Advertisements are inserted in this column at the rate of three lines (18 words) three days for 25 cents. For ads larger than three lines one cent extra will be charged for each word in excess of 18. Cash must accompany order for these small amounts.

PASTURE TO RENT—200 acres two miles west of Maryville. Clover, timothy and blue grass mixed. Has had no stock on it this spring. Fenced in four fields. Running water and three wells and windmills at one. Will rent the whole tract or separate fields. 40, 75, 70 and 15 acres in fields. Call or telephone quick for first choice. Also 160 acres clover and timothy, seven miles north of Maryville, to rent for hay or pasture. See us quick. Will not hold long. The Sisson Loan and Title Co. 10-tf

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WANTED—Lady clerk. F. P. Reuillard. 7-10

FOR RENT—After July 1st, good store building, South Main street. See J. F. Roelofson. 3-tf

WANTE—Dining room girl. Good wages. The Linville. tf.

FOR SALE—Large fireproof safe, cheap. Charles Hyslop. 10-tf

The One-Minute Washing Machine will keep a wife looking young. They are sold by Baker & Hill, the West Side Hardware firm.

Mrs. Berky Very Ill.

Mrs. LeRay Wray went to Pickering Monday noon on account of the serious illness of her sister-in-law, Mrs. William Berky, who lives near Pickering. Mrs. Berky was formerly Miss Lolla Wray. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Wray of Pickering.

Returned from Kansas Visit.

Mrs. George A. Pickens and sons, Vern and Paul, returned Monday noon from a five weeks' visit with relatives at Stockton, Kan.

Miss Lura Gibson of Coin, Ia., was in the city Monday, going to Bedford to visit her father, Samuel Gibson.

Mrs. William Pistole and Mrs. F. S. Maxon of Pickering were in Maryville on business Monday.

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A HARMLESS WAY TO DARKEN THE HAIR

A Little Sage and Sulphur Makes Gray Hair Vanish—A Remedy for All Hair Troubles

Who does not know the value of sage and sulphur for keeping the hair dark, soft, glossy and in good condition? As a matter of fact, sulphur is a natural element of hair, and a deficiency of it in the hair is held by many scalp specialists to be connected with loss of color and vitality of the hair. Unquestionably, there is no better remedy for hair and scalp troubles, especially premature grayness, than sage and sulphur, if properly prepared. The Wyeth Chemical Company of New York put up an ideal remedy of this kind, called Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy, and authorize druggists to sell it under guarantee that the money will be refunded if it fails to do exactly as represented.

This preparation is offered to the public at fifty cents a bottle, and is recommended and sold by all druggists.

Special Agent, Koch Pharmacy.

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no community can afford; to do anyone a benefit it must be kept moving and to do the most good it should seek legitimate channels. Then let us divorce ourselves from the prevailing "get rich quick" fever and get back to the good ways of our forefathers. Put your money into something at home, where it will HELP YOUR HOME TOWN and enhance the other interests you may have. Why not build a home? There's no satisfaction like that borne of the knowledge you own a home. Start it today and tomorrow you'll awaken with a feeling of independence like that of 1776. Of course you'll need lumber, but we can quickly help you out, as our stock is complete and most orders can be filled the day we get them.

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